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SPAIN FEARS
DISASTERS

Defeat of Melilla Force by
Moors May Be Followed by
Worse Reverses

LARGE ARMY NEEDED
TO MEET TRIBESMEN

Barcelona Revolutionists Mow-
ed Down by Artillery
and Cavalry

Madrid, July 29.—Spain tonight is rent by two of the fiercest wars in the Mediterranean provinces of Catalonia. At the outskirts of Melilla the Spanish arms have suffered a serious check. Three thousand soldiers have either been slain or wounded, and the Moorish hordes are fighting at the very walls of the city itself.

News from Barcelona, the centre of the revolutionary outbreak, is exceedingly meagre and unsatisfactory. From Lisbon comes the report that the revolutionists are using poison and that 100 persons were killed and 200 wounded during the earlier stages of the conflict.

Premier Maura's announcement that the situation in Barcelona showed a little improvement and word from Melilla that the Moors were retreating from Mount Cazorla, only slightly appeased the general disquiet. The Moorish forces, however, have been strengthened by the arrival of 5,000 additional tribesmen, and the official judgment that 75,000 Spanish troops are needed to overcome the tribesmen would indicate that the Melilla army of Spain is in sore straits.

A Moorish army is marching on Alouemas, and a warship has been hurriedly despatched from Melilla to aid the garrison there.

Insurrectionary outbreaks are reported from many points in Spain. At Granollers two revolutionists were killed, while at Cassadellas the civil guard was 'disarmed and imprisoned in the barracks. The revolutionists are active at Lahans and Figueras, where the railways have been dynamited. Financial institutions are sending their funds across the frontier.

The report that a provisional government had been established at Barcelona and the civil government had been deposed, has not been confirmed, but it is persistently rumored. Premier Maura will resign and that a administration will be set up in Madrid.

It was officially announced that the cavalry engaged at Barcelona succeeded today in driving into St. Martin square the principal bands of revolutionists against whom the artillery opened fire, causing great losses. The survivors surrendered.

Looks Like Disaster.

Paris, July 29.—French army officers familiar with the topography of the Rif country consider that the official report of the Spanish defeat by the Moors at Melilla spells complete disaster, and they would not be surprised if the next news told of the fall of the city. They point out that the tribesmen evidently changed their tactics, which they twice tried unsuccessfully, of descending Mount Gurugua and cutting in half the Spanish front, which was four miles long, extending from the land forts at Melilla to the extreme left at Mount Atalayon, a promontory on the shore of the Marchica Lagoon. The Spanish left probably was cut off from communication with the main body, while the latter went on fighting the battle with desperation under the walls of the city.

Heavy Losses.

Madrid, July 29.—That a great battle had been fought between the Spanish troops and the Moors is now officially admitted in Madrid for the first time. The extent of the engagement was at first minimized in Spain, in an effort to pacify the public, and despatches concerning the battle were rigorously censored. Early reports gave the losses as a few hundreds. The official admission today that the killed and wounded reached 3,000, gives the battle the importance of real warfare, the casualties being far greater than in any engagement during the Spanish-American war, and exceeding some of the most stubborn fights of the Russo-Japanese war.

Soldiers Refuse Duty.

Cerebero, July 29.—Grave events are anticipated at Figueras, a town 21 miles from Gerona. Comparative calm had been restored when orders were issued to the recruits to report for duty. The entire population is preparing to resist. The Port Bouline express left Figueras this morning, but stopped at Lianseau, where the truck had been blown up with dynamite. At Junquera, a small town 26 miles northeast of Gerona, telegraph poles have been chopped down. All places where the public funds have been deposited are guarded by the military. Business is at a complete standstill. The merchants are public strikers, and are placing their funds in foreign banks for safekeeping. Many instances of soldiers refusing to fire on the mobs are reported. A squadron of infantry threatened to shoot a policeman who was about to fire his revolver into a crowd.

Reports from the interior state that the situation is constantly growing more alarming. A mob, including many soldiers, is reported to have made a manifestation before the royal palace at Madrid, crying "Down with the war."

New Attack by Moors.

Alhucemas, Morocco, Wednesday, July 28.—An army of 6,000 Moors is now attacking this place. Alhucemas is a small island fortress and prison settlement belonging to Spain. It is situated in the Mediterranean, on the coast of Morocco, five miles southeast of Cape Morro.

Slaughter in Barcelona.

Paris, July 29.—Special despatches received here today say that the fighting in Barcelona yesterday was more sanguinary than previous despatches indicated. Machine guns and grape were used against the rioters. The sidewalks and buildings were spattered with the blood of the victims. Everywhere women and children are wandering in search of their husbands and fathers. Incendiary is rampant.

Complete Anarchy.

Lisbon, July 29.—Refugees from Barcelona say that the city is in a state of complete anarchy. They report that the terrorists are using dynamite bombs freely, causing great destruction of property and loss of life, thousands of armed men behind heavy barricades resisting the attacks of the troops in pitched battles. During the last few days of the fighting more than 100 persons were killed and several hundred wounded.

Paris, July 29.—A despatch to the Journal from Madrid says that the revolution in Barcelona, it is alleged, was arranged by Former Deputy Leroux, chief of the Republicans at Barcelona, who returned recently to Spain from Buenos Ayres.

Latest Reports.

London, July 29.—A special despatch from Madrid says there is a persistent report in Carlist quarters that Don Jaime, the pretender, is about to issue an address to the powers and a manifesto, the Spanish people maintaining his claim to the Spanish throne.

London, July 30.—A special despatch from Madrid, timed 1.55 last night, says: "At Barcelona the revolutionists were driven in a mass into the St. Martin quarter, and surrendered after being encircled by artillery and cavalry."

Madrid, July 29.—In the vicinity of Barcelona, according to official reports, the revolutionary movement has been checked, but only after an enormous loss of life. After fighting desperately and successfully for a long time behind barricades, the Moors were gradually driven to the Saint Martin square, where they found themselves entrapped. Heavy detachments of artillery and cavalry came up and surrounded them. The artillery immediately fired, moving down the revolutionists, who sought to escape, and were met at every point with shot and shell. Those who were not killed, threw down their arms and surrendered. The insurrection continues in the neighboring villages, whither the troops are proceeding.

Retires From Sault Plant

Sault Ste Marie, Ont., July 29.—D. Lewis, superintendent of the Lake Superior corporation steel plant, today announced that he would shortly retire and go to Ohio.

P. E. I. Bye-Election

Charlottetown, P. E. I., July 29.—The bye-election in the fourth district of Prince county will be held August 13, Hon. Joseph Read having resigned his seat to contest the district again.

INTENSE HEAT
CAUSES DEATHS

Hot Spell and Electric Storm
Kill Several People
in Chicago

Chicago, July 29.—Two days' torrid weather in this city was broken shortly after noon today by an electric storm which brought temporary relief. Several deaths resulted either from the storm or the heat. A temperature of 92 degrees has been reached today. The wind reached a velocity of 42 miles an hour during the storm and caused great damage to property. Carl Hanson, farmer, was struck by lightning and instantly killed while escaping from the rain. Thomas Madeney, a butcher, fell dead on the sidewalk in front of his shop. James Turner was struck by lightning while on the seat of a lumber wagon. He was hurled to the road dead. Joseph Behmen was prostrated by the heat while fishing from the Kenilworth pier. He rolled from the pier into the lake and was drowned. Mrs. Hattie Henderson and Mrs. Dorothy Hart were killed by a lightning bolt while they were sitting in a car. The car was struck by the lightning and was burned down by the wind, and were burned seriously.

C. Ware, a widely known real estate man was found dead in his office tonight. His death was a direct result of the intense heat of the last two days.

New York, July 29.—Another of those hot sticky spells struck New York today and although the average temperature was only 72, at least two deaths were caused by prostration.

BOGUS CHEQUE MAN

Toronto Detective Arrives in Vancouver to Take Anderson Back to Ontario Capital.

Vancouver, July 29.—Detective Murray, of the Toronto police, will start back to Toronto with young Jack Anderson, who is accused of passing numerous bogus checks in various cities of Canada, the United States and France. Each cheque bore the "accepted" stamp of the Bank of Montreal branch, in which up to March 9 Anderson was ledger keeper.

Detective Murray says the total amounts secured by Anderson will go over \$5,000, and the Toronto police and bank officials are puzzled to understand why the young man confined himself to passing small cheques instead of large ones.

Since his arrest he has made no endeavor to communicate with anyone, and he has not evinced any desire to secure counsel.

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GRAIN CROP

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Increased Facilities This
Season

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IN LARGE NUMBERS

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for Use by G. T. P. Early
in September

Winnipeg, July 29.—From the eastern boundaries of Manitoba, clear across the three sunset provinces to the foothills of the Rockies, a good thousand miles, and in a belt approximately 300 miles wide, on an average, for that distance, the wheat fields are rapidly turning from an olive green to an undulating ocean of russet and gold. Preparations have started for the garnering of somewhere in the neighborhood of one hundred million bushels of wheat, not to mention other grain.

"The bread basket of the Empire," is the term aptly applied to Western Canada, and while the reaping of the crop is now a momentous proposition in the west, the matter of conveying the contents of this basket to the market is of equally great significance. All of the railways of the west are concentrating their attention just now on the handling of grain shipments offered along their lines, and it can be safely said that in point of adequate facilities the grain this year will be handled with greater despatch and in a more satisfactory manner than ever before. From stations secured from each of the three great railroads in the west, as to the preparation they have made in this regard, it is ascertained that approximately 35,000 box cars will be available for the movement of this crop, with approximately 750 locomotives.

G. T. P. Line.

Ottawa, July 29.—The Transcontinental Commissioners today announced that the section of the N. T. R. between Winnipeg and Lake Superior Junction will be ready to lease to the G. T. P. early in September, thus enabling the company to carry at least a portion of this year's crop.

Alleged Smuggler Arrested

New York, July 29.—Ciro Ciresoloni, aged 18 years, was searched at police headquarters tonight, and detected that he carried on his person a large quantity of valuable carved and rough corals. The police say he is one of a gang of smugglers who have been costing the government \$200,000 yearly by evading customs duty. Other arrests are expected shortly.

Nova Scotia Crops

Halifax, July 29.—The Nova Scotia government crop report, just out, compiled from returns sent in by 128 correspondents shows a good outlook, and indicates a prosperous year for farmers. In the fruit sections conditions at the time of bloom were almost ideal, and for the most part the set of fruit was abundant. During the dry weather, however, much fruit dropped, but recent rains have brought about almost ideal conditions for fruit growth. The hay crop will be from 90 to 92 per cent. of that of last year. Oats and other grains will be 98 per cent. of an average, potatoes 108 per cent., turnips and other vegetables 106 per cent.

CEMENT MERGER
NOW ARRANGED

Consolidated Company to Take
Over Seven or Eight
Large Mills

Montreal, July 29.—Announcement is made tonight that plans have been completed for the consolidation in one company of all the cement companies in Canada. The new company will include all the principal cement manufacturing companies in Canada, and the consolidated company, which will be known as the Canadian Consolidated Cement Company, will have a capitalization of \$25,000,000. Application has been made to Ottawa for a charter for the company, and the underwriting arrangements are pretty near completed, some of the strongest men in the country being among the underwriters. The organization and underwriting arrangements are in charge of Randolph Forget, M.P.

It has not yet been decided whether a public issue will be made, or whether it will be retained by the underwriters and their friends, but these are details which will be decided upon later. The consolidated company will take over the principal cement plants in the Dominion, representing about two-thirds of the total output of the existing mills in all some seven or eight mills will be included in the merger, including the plant of the International Portland Cement Company, which has been such a great success, and the founder and managing director of which, J. S. Irvine, has been a moving spirit in bringing about the merger.

Sir Sandford Fleming, K. C. M. G., Randolph Forget, M. P., Senator Edwards, of Ottawa, C. P. Cahane, and W. M. Atken are among the leading men interested.

THAW STANDS GRILL

Close Questioning by District Attorney Jerome Leads to Shake Nerve of Prisoner.

White Plains, N. Y., July 29.—William Travers Jerome, district attorney of New York, finished his inquisition of Harry Thaw in the Supreme court this afternoon. All told, yesterday and today, Thaw faced Mr. Jerome's lightning thrusts for ten hours, yet he held his own at all times, and tomorrow he will be in the hands of his friends. His attorney, Charles Morchauser, expects to call him in the morning. This examination may be as long as Mr. Jerome wants it, and the district attorney may have a few more questions.

Notwithstanding the mental strain he was under yesterday Thaw labored late with his attorney in Justice Mills' anteroom, going over the multitude of questions in the record.

On the whole Thaw and his attorney are well satisfied with the day's work. Thaw showed even more confidence than yesterday. In fact his satisfaction at one time almost cost him dearly when he ventured into a heated passage at times with the district attorney. But he checked himself when he realized that he had nothing to gain and everything to lose by a show of temper.

Yesterday Mr. Jerome devoted himself to the prisoner's life history. Today he based his inquisition chiefly on various letters and memoranda, which he produced in surprising numbers. The one he found most useful was a table containing twenty-six sheets of foolscap paper, on which were pasted a strange variety of newspaper clippings and scraps of manuscripts. Thaw identified it as something he had prepared, and sent to Mr. Delmas, his chief counsel during the first trial, for the use in preparing his closing speech to the jury. Some of its contents were strange enough to cause suspicions of the author's sanity, but these bits Thaw invariably explained by saying that they were letters written to him and his family by persons with kind intentions and probably mentally unbalanced. "It was rubbish," he added, "but some of the letters contained ideas I thought Mr. Delmas might use."

Thaw was the central figure at the hearing today, there were two other witnesses, Susan Merrill, the former New York lodginghouse keeper, and Clifford W. Hartridge, Thaw's former attorney.

Mrs. Merrill was carried further into details regarding Thaw's alleged abuse of young women at her house. She admitted having had dealings with Stanford White. Hartridge testified to the truth of parts of her story. He said that the prisoner owed to a woman, which she said was used to prevent the girls Thaw whipped from making trouble, did not come from Thaw himself. He said that he had received \$103,000 from Mrs. Wm. Thaw, but had used a large part of it for various purposes connected with his employment by the family.

Evelyn Thaw was an interested auditor in court today, but her husband on the stand practically ignored her. She naturally looked at him, but he refused to look at her. Indications are that the hearing will last a week longer.

OFFER REWARDS
FOR MISCREANTS

Efforts to Discover Authors of
Outrages in Coal Mine
District

Glace Bay, N. S., July 29.—The county of Cape Breton is offering \$1,500 reward for evidence leading to the conviction of the persons who attempted to blow up Manager Simpson's residence, and \$500 for similar evidence regarding the persons who set off a bomb at the Gardiner mines yesterday.

President Ross of the Dominion coal company, offers \$1,000 reward for the conviction of the persons who assaulted a 77-year-old man named McPherson while on his way to attend his sister's funeral at Waterford.

NO FREEDOM FOR HIM

Man Let Go At Ottawa Found to Be
Pickpocket Badly Wanted at
Weehawkin, N. J.

Ottawa, July 29.—When Chief Detective Dicks stepped forward this morning at the trial of the McMillan diamond thieves and announced that the Ottawa police had no evidence to offer in the case of James Howard, alias Maynard, thus freeing the prisoner, it brought no joy to the heart of the man most concerned.

Awaiting the prisoner on one of the side benches was an American detective, from Weehawkin, N. J., and Howard's hopes of freedom were dashed in an instant. Detective Verdine was ordered to take the prisoner back to Weehawkin in the New Jersey city.

With the presence of the American detective there was revealed a final and sensational ending to one of the most noted captures of the local police. A few days after the arrest of Howard, Weehawkin detectives recognized the description forwarded to all American cities by the local police the family features of Fred Smith, a noted American pickpocket who recently jumped his bail of \$5,000 in Weehawkin, and whose bondsmen were seeking him all over the United States. Detective Verdine was despatched to Ottawa, reaching here yesterday, and he fully identified Howard as the man wanted.

Johnson and Jeffries

Detroit, July 29.—In an interview here tonight Jack Johnson, the colored heavyweight, said that he considered a fight with Jeffries as an improbability, as he anticipated that Jeffries would exact conditions which he would find it impossible to accept. He stated that he would not stand for any guarantee, but would demand straight winner and loser of the money.

PRESIDENT
CALLS HALT

Tariff Makers Are Forcibly
Told to Reduce Some
of Their Rates

LUMBER IS ONE
ARTICLE, AFFECTED

Bill Is at Last Completed and
Ready for Submission
to Houses

Washington, July 29.—The Payne-Aldrich tariff bill tonight stands complete. An agreement on all disputed points was reached this afternoon, and at 4:55 this evening the conference report was signed by the Republican members of the committee. It will go to the house tomorrow and be voted on by that body on Saturday. The senate will begin consideration of the measure as agreed to by the conferees on Monday.

Halted by the mandate of President Taft, the tariff conferees were compelled to turn back and revise their rates on lumber and gloves. In a communication to Senator Aldrich and Representative Payne, the President demanded that high rates on lumber as fixed by the senate should not be made a part of the conference report. After struggling over these questions throughout the entire day, the conferees surrendered to the president's views and signed the report.

The report will go to the house tomorrow at noon and will be ordered to be printed at 12 o'clock. The house will be called to meet at 1 o'clock on Saturday, for it is the intention of the leaders that the measure be pushed through in one legislative day. Probably a week will be required to dispose of the conference report in the senate.

President Stands Firm.

When the conferees fixed lumber and glove rates yesterday by shading very slightly the higher rates, they were so certain that the president would consent to the arrangement that notices were sent to the Democratic members of the conference committee to be present at 10 o'clock today to approve or disapprove of the conference report.

The president had other ideas of what the rates should be, and he expressed them very forcibly in a letter. He said that lumber should not be more than \$1.25. The house should be called to meet at 1 o'clock on Saturday, for it is the intention of the leaders that the measure be pushed through in one legislative day. Probably a week will be required to dispose of the conference report in the senate.

Not content with issuing an injunction against higher rates on these articles, the president specified that hides must go on the free list, with the house rates on boots and shoes and other manufactures of leather. However, too, he declared that he should be below the house rates, which were advanced over the Dingley rates.

It was not until after the Democratic members assembled that the White House communication was received at the conference chamber. Hurriedly opening the envelope, Senator Dingley read the president's missive, and called his Republican associates to an adjoining room. The contents of the letter were discussed at some length, and it was decided that the minority should be informed that the conference report had not been advanced to a stage where it could be submitted to them for their judgment. Senator Daniels and Representative Griggs of Georgia, exhibited some annoyance at having been called to session prematurely, but Senator Bailey, being scented trouble for the minority and advised his associates to go in peace.

Democrats Hostile.

After the Democrats had reached the corridor outside of the conference chamber they had a little conference of their own. The Republicans were criticized, but Senator Bailey again came to their defense, calling attention to the fact that if the Democrats were in power and were charged with the responsibility of making a tariff bill, they would not want any Republicans to help. The minority was further mollified by Representative Champ Clark of Missouri, being called back to the chamber. He was given a copy of the bill as the conference intend to report it, except for the schedules discussed by the president in his letter. The Democrats then went into session.

The minority members were in the conference chamber less than an hour. At the outset Representative Griggs, speaking for his associates, said that they were not disposed to delay proceedings. He suggested that if the Republicans would consent to put cotton bagging on the free list they would show the utmost liberality in bringing the tariff report to a vote. Many of the conferees were disposed to grant this request, but Representative McCall of Massachusetts protested vigorously on the ground that it would injure the manufacturers in his state, who turn out cotton bagging. So emphatic were his objections that it was seen that an agreement would be delayed if such action were attempted.

The Republican members continued in session after the Democrats had retired. Then came on the busiest scene ever witnessed about the corridors of the senate office during the three weeks the bill has been in conference. Scurrying to and from the chamber were senators and members of the house, vying with representatives of special interests to get a word with the conferees. Late in the day Representatives Fordney and Calderhead went to the White House, and from there to the office of Speaker Cannon, and then back to the conference chamber. Later they conferred with a number of northern members.

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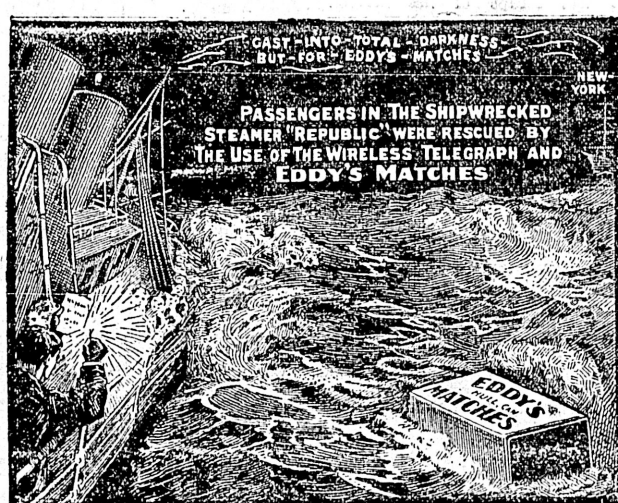
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PRESENT CASE TO COMMISSIONERS

City Will Carry Bridge Question to the Board of Railway Commissioners

The city has made formal application to the railway commission for a ruling in connection to its right to use the E. & N. bridge for foot and vehicular traffic. The application has been forwarded to the commission by the city solicitors, and while the commission has not yet reached a decision, it is hoped that a temporary arrangement may be arrived at whereby the bridge may be used by the public pending the decision from the commissioners the city will go ahead and endeavor to establish its right to use the bridge for traffic.

At last night's special meeting of the city council the city solicitors advised the council of the council of the railway commission the application, it was stated, also including a request that the board shall give an opinion as to the mode of user of the swing in the interests of shipping. The solicitors also advise that in view of no reply coming from the company to the city request for a temporary right of user, pending the hearing of the case, to apply to the railway commission for an interim order allowing the use of the bridge as heretofore.

The city solicitors, in their letter of advice, state that the suggestion of the company that the city constructs a stairway from Johnson street onto the bridge, appears quite inadequate for public needs, but that rather than have the bridge closed until the hearing of the application the suggestion is advanced that it might be wise to favorably consider this expedient and incur the slight expense necessary to give effect thereto.

It was expected that the railway commission would be on the coast within the next few weeks, but the city solicitors advise that a communication from the chief commissioner states that the board has no intention of coming to the coast so that unless the temporary order is made it will be some time before the bridge question can be solved.

The city's application to the railway commission, backed up by affidavits of the mayor and city engineer, has been forwarded to the commission. It has been pointed out to the board that no danger has been shown to exist heretofore in the use of the sidewalk on the bridge, and it is reasonable, the city argues, that such use be continued until the final determination of the public rights.

PRESIDENT CALLS HALT

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western senators who were interested in lumber.

Speaker Cannon On Scene.

After their activities without the conference room, Speaker Cannon was seen hurrying down the main corridor. The door of the conference room was thrown open, and he was permitted to enter without delay. Speaker Cannon has been one of the chief supporters of the higher rate on gloves. He said he believed these rates were necessary to stimulate the manufacture of women's gloves. Former Representative Littauer, of New York, is the largest manufacturer of gloves in the United States, and a warm friend of the speaker. He has urged for a number of years that the rates on women's and children's gloves be raised in order to encourage manufacture in the United States. The house rates, so the leaders say, were adopted because they believed in his argument. When the speaker called him to the conference chamber he hurried down the corridor without stopping. One of the waiting newspaper correspondents asked him if the conference had finished. "I am not a member of the committee. How do I know?" responded the speaker. His reply, however, was garnished with certain emphatic expressions which gave it considerable weight. The speaker wore the air of a man who had capitulated before a superior force.

There was no opportunity to compromise on gloves. The President said the rates must not be advanced beyond the figures named by the senate bill, which are the same as the existing duties except for the fact that Schmassen gloves were reduced by the senate from \$1.75 a dozen to \$1.25. Although the house conference insisted during the greater part of the day that these rates would endanger the passage of the conference report through the house, they nevertheless were adopted.

Lumber Question.

On lumber some concessions were made in spite of the fact that the President's instructions were complied with to the letter. Rough lumber was made dutiable at \$1.25 per thousand feet; finished on one side, \$1.75; finished on two sides, or one side planed, side tongued or grooved, \$2.15; finished on three sides, \$2.52½; and finished on four sides, \$2.90. To conciliate Senators Piles and Jones, the conferees adopted the senate rate of 50 cents a thousand on shingles, instead of the house rate of 30 cents.

In order to obtain the support of Senator Hayburn, the industries of whose state had been assailed through the abolition of the duty on hides, a reduction in the duty on lumber and the reduction in the deferential of pig lead in bars, the latter schedule was reconsidered. The senate fixed the rate on pig lead at 2½ cents per pound, but this was reduced in the conference to 2 cents. In view of the dissatisfaction of the Idaho senators, this subject was reopened today, and a rate of 2½ cents per pound on pig lead in bars was restored.

In view of the action of the conferees in putting hides on the free list, a concession was also made to the cattle industry today by taking tallow off the free list, where it had been placed by the conferees, and restoring it to the dutiable list by the house, but the action of the conferees today make it dutiable at ½ cent per pound.

The rates on hosiery were fixed by increases of about 20 per cent. in grades valued at \$1, \$1.50, and \$2 a dozen pairs. This is an increase over existing rates, but a marked decrease from the advances made by the Dingley rates, which had been reenacted by the senate, were retained. This action, the conferees believe, was in conformity with the spirit of the President's request.

The minority members of the conference committee were in session most of the afternoon. They had called in a number of tariff experts in order to

compare the conference bill with the existing law. When their session adjourned tonight it was announced that the experts had proceeded far enough to show that the new bill will be an increase of from 1 to 2 per cent. over the ad valorem rates of the Dingley law. It is understood that in reaching this calculation the experts did not take into consideration transfers of articles from the dutiable to the free list, which the Republican conferees say would reduce the average ad valorem considerably below those of the existing law.

Glidden Tour Progress

Salina, Kas., July 29.—Without meeting with single accident on the 200 mile trip from Oakley to Salina, the 42 cars in the Glidden tour reached here tonight. The cars will start for Kansas City tomorrow at 6.30 a. m. This will be the longest day's run of the tour, 212 miles, with 10 1-2 hours as the running time.

Viceroyal Party Starts.

Ottawa, July 29.—Earl Grey, accompanied by Lady Sybil Grey, Lord Lascelles, and party, left tonight at 11 o'clock by a special train of five cars for Seattle. Countess Grey, who is convalescing from an attack of scarlet fever, will join him in about two weeks' time.

General Worthington Dead.

Washington, July 29.—General Worthington, who died in Montreal today, had been collector of the port of Charleston, S. C., head of a vigilance committee in California, minister to Uruguay, Judge of the United States court, and major-general of militia. He was a warm personal friend of General Grant, born in Maryland more than eighty years ago, General Worthington made his fortune as one of the "forty-niners" in California's gold mines. Of late years he lived in Washington, often being at the capitol during the sessions of congress.

Woman Superintendent.

Chicago, July 29.—The superintendent of Chicago's great school system has been given into the hands of a woman for the first time in its history. Mrs. Ella Flagg Young, principal of the Chicago Normal School, and an educator of national reputation, was chosen tonight by the newly organized board of education as the head of the public schools. Mrs. Young's selection has been going on for several months. Mrs. Young is 64 years old and was born in Buffalo, N. Y. She has been teaching since 1864. She was district superintendent of schools for Chicago from 1887 to 1889, and professor of education at the University of Chicago from 1889 to 1905.

BLERIOT READY

Would Sail Against Wrights at Seattle Exposition on Terms That Are Offered.

Paris, July 29.—Louis Bleriot, the French aviator who successfully flew across the English Channel in his monoplane last Sunday, appeared greatly pleased when informed this afternoon that the officials of the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition had offered a purse of \$25,000 for an aeroplane race between him and the Wright brothers. He said: "This is the first intimation that I have had of any such offer, but you can say that if either of the Wrights challenges me under the Seattle conditions I shall immediately accept."

New York, July 29.—Louis Bleriot has cabled his American representative that he will enter a monoplane in the flights to be held here next fall for a \$10,000 cash prize during the Hudson-Fulton celebration. He did not think that his engagements would permit him to come in person, but he promised to send an experienced operator.

How to Train a Dog.

One of the most interesting amusements for the young is to train a dog. The successful two things are absolutely necessary—namely, kindness and perseverance. No dog will ever do a trick in a happy manner if it has been taught by cruelty.

But before trying him with tricks you must first teach him to be cleanly and to obey you. Every dog should learn to come to heel, to lie down, to stop barking, to go home, to leave the room, and to go to bed when he is told. When he has learned to obey, you can teach him almost anything.

You will love you all the more if he feels that you are master and not he. The best method to follow in teaching tricks is to exaggerate and develop some natural movement of the animal. For example, if you offer him some little bit of sugar as a piece of biscuit, and hold it just out of his reach, he will, more than likely, sit up or stand up to get it. If, when he sits up, you always say "Beg!" or "Up!" when he stands, he will soon come to understand that doing what he wants to do will be followed by some tasty reward. After he knows how to stand he can also be taught to "waltz," by moving the biscuit in a circle just above his nose. He, of course, goes round after it.

Saying to him, "Die for your country," you must push him gently over on his side each time he tries to rise, and repeat this firmly but kindly till he understands.

Training a dog to seek for hidden articles in a room may be taught in a similar fashion. Show him a bit of biscuit, lay it always, for a start, in the same place, and do not let the animal touch it till you give him leave to do so.

When he has mastered this, go a step farther and put him up to the room, shutting the door. After a moment or two, open the door and tell him to "seek it!" or "Find it!" and he will probably run to the place where he expects to find his titbit.

Later if the biscuit or cake is placed at some distance from the door, in a position he will naturally begin to hunt for it, and should be encouraged to do so till he is able to find it anywhere in the room.

Again, sit facing the dog, place a bit of biscuit or sugar on your head, and say, "Fetch!" or "Bring!" and he may be made to spring on your knee, then up to your shoulder and over your head, removing the dainty at the same time.

Fetching slippers and other articles may be taught in the same way. You throw something from you he will run after it, pick it up and play with it. Follow him and take it from him and throw it again, and repeat this till he understands that if he brings it to you, you will give him the fun of running after it. When he has learned this, put the thing at one end of the room, take him to the other end and then tell him to fetch it. When he does so, give him a reward, and repeat the lesson till he thoroughly understands it. After that you will be able to teach him to fetch anything from almost anywhere. Keep on teaching him new tricks, for the more he learns the more interesting he will become. But do not mix him up with too many tricks at once. Let him master one at a time.

POLITICS AND WIRELESS SYSTEM

Work Will Now Be Commenced on Stations in Comox-Atlin

With the object of arranging for the establishment of new wireless stations at Prince Rupert, Skidegate and Tri-Island, and ordering improvements to the existing ones at Victoria and Pachuca, C. P. Edwards, Dominion superintendent of wireless, is at present in British Columbia. He arrived in Victoria on Wednesday evening and left again yesterday on his way to Prince Rupert, where he will join the Hon. W. Templeman while that minister is carrying on his campaign of hearing petitions in the constituency of Comox-Atlin.

The new wireless stations at the three points mentioned above were projected over a year ago, and the work was to have commenced last spring. For some reason they were delayed, and it is a curious circumstance that they are now about to be commenced contemporaneously with the visit of Mr. Templeman to Comox-Atlin.

The improvements to the stations at Gonzales Hill and Pachuca will mean their increase in power from one kilowatt to three. This will mean that either station will be able to pick up ocean liners from six to eight hundred miles out at sea. These improvements were also projected several months ago but for some reason have not been carried out up to the present.

Mr. Edwards before taking up the appointment of Dominion wireless superintendent, a position which he took over from Cecil Doute, was chief operator on the Marconi transatlantic service. Upon his return from Prince Rupert he wrote an inspection of the B. C. wireless stations already established.

GOVERNOR MAY STOP O'BRIEN-FLYNN BOUT

Denver, Colo., July 29.—Governor Shafroth, of Colorado, declares that the law against prize fighting will be enforced during his term, and that there will be no fight tonight between Philadelphia Jack O'Brien, and Flynn, in the auditorium in this city.

The Denver Christian Citizenship Union, is demanding that the law be enforced, and is depending upon the Governor to act. The chief executive, however, declares his faith in the district attorney and sheriff, and is looking to them to prevent the fight. While considerably concerned over the announcement of the Governor, the promoters of the bout say they do not expect any interference by officers of the law.

Francis Bailey in New York.

New York, July 29.—Homeless and penniless, Francis Bailey, the ambitious adventurer who sailed to Honduras about a year ago with the steamship Goldsboro, leaving a string of creditors behind, arrived in New York tonight in charge of detectives. He was locked up. He was brought from British Columbia, where he was arrested in June after his sensational escape from a steamship that was taking him from Honduras. Several indictments have been returned against him here.

Y. M. C. A. Conference.

Barmen, Elberfeld, Germany, July 29.—At the world's conference of Young Men's Christian Associations today, reports from all parts of the world were read. That of the United States evoked the greatest enthusiasm. It showed that there are 1,929 organizations, 415,000 members, and \$50,000,000 of Y. M. C. A. property in the country. The figures for the entire world are 7,823 organizations, 821,000 members, and \$50,000,000 in property. A Chinaman delivered the most notable address of the day. He said: "China is awakening and is sending its best to see the best ideas in every country."

The Men of the Birkenhead

It was not so very many years ago that the steamer Birkenhead was on her way to South Africa. On board of her were the crew and a number of soldiers, for the vessel was chartered by several of the soldiers; for they were not going out to a war, but to form part of the garrison of the country.

As the great ship steamed along the coast of Africa, no one dreaming of danger—it was night, and all but the sailors who had to work the ship were sleeping—her side crashed against a sunken rock. Everyone hurried on deck, for all knew from the shock that some great disaster had happened. But there was no panic. The officers gave their orders, and the men obeyed them as steadily as if they had been on the parade-ground. The soldiers were set to help the sailors, working at the pumps to keep the ship from sinking, and getting the horses overboard to lighten the load. There must have been a sore task for men who loved the poor horses, but they could not be saved. And still the water came in, and everyone knew the Birkenhead must go down.

Then they set about launching the boats. The sea had not been dangerous for the big ship when she was whole, but it was too rough for small boats. One big boat and two small ones were filled with women and children and pushed off safely. Another was smashed by a falling spar; and two were swamped before anyone could be got into them. Then the ship herself broke in two, and one half began to sink.

The soldiers were already drawn up in ranks. The captain called to them to swim for it, but the colonel said that if they did that the boats would be over-filled and swamped. The men stood firm, awaiting their officer's order. He told them that if they swam for the boats, these would be capsized, and the women and children drowned.

So they stood in their lines, waiting for the ship to go down, as steady as if they were in the drill-yard. Then the hungry waves washed over the decks, and the brave soldiers were plunged into the sea. All they could hope for was to keep afloat till the boats reached the shore and could return to pick them up. A very few managed to swim ashore by themselves. A few held on to the wreck, and these were picked up next morning by a passing vessel which had also rescued the people in the boats who had been unable to reach the shore. But the greater number perished, heroes no less than if they had fallen on the field of battle.

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Dated at Victoria, B. C., July 15, 1909.
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VICTORIA BUILDING SOCIETY

The Semi-Annual General Meeting of the above Society will be held at the Secretary's Office, 617 Trowace ave., on Saturday, 31st July, 1909, at 8 p.m., to receive the Secretary's financial statement and balance sheet, and such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

By order,
A. ST. G. FLINT, Secy.

ALLOW MEASURE TO STAND OVER

Sunday Closing Bylaw Is Referred to Oblivion for the Time Being

While Ald. Turner's suggestion that the Sunday closing bylaw, the measure which has been before the public so prominently of late will not be given the six months' hold which the representative of Was. 5 believes it should receive, nevertheless it will be tabled for the time being. What becomes of the measure ultimately is a question which the future must answer but in the meantime the council will have none of it. The application before the attention of the council fathers last night when the bylaw to amend the existing bylaw was introduced. The amendment provides for the issuing of licenses subject to any law operative in the Dominion. This refers to the Lord's Day Act, though that law is not specifically mentioned. When the amending bylaw was introduced last evening Ald. McKeown urged that it should be passed, stating that if the council cannot pass a measure which will hold water the sooner the council went out of business the better.

Alderman Turner suggested that it would be better to give the measure a six-months' hold but Ald. Raymond, who, as chairman of the health and morals committee, has been father of the Sunday closing regulations, pointed out that to give it a six months' hold would be beyond the power of the present council.

Alderman Turner was quite willing to stand corrected so long as the measure was allowed to stand over and finally on a vote it was decided to let the measure drop for the time being at least. Mayor Hall, Ald. Raymond, Mable and McKeown voted to pass the bylaw. Ald. Stewart, Humber, Ross and Turner, the "reactionary element," as Ald. Humber declared, opposed the motion.

WILL SECURE ASKED FOR PERMIT

Council Will Not Prevent Erection of Factory on Douglas Street

Despite the objections of residents in the vicinity of the site whereon it is proposed to locate a sash and door factory, against the erection of which vigorous protest has been made, the city council, at a special meeting held last evening, decided that it would not rescind the instructions given the building inspector. Instead, the Wood Workers, Limited, will be allowed to go ahead with the erection of the factory on lot 19, block 5, Douglas street, north of Market street.

Following the action of Mayor Hall in ordering the building inspector to hold up the permit pending the appearance of a deputation of owners before the council, a petition against the erection of the proposed factory was presented to the council at last night's meeting. The petition was backed up by a deputation of eight owners. The protest set forth that the neighborhood in which the proposed factory was to be erected is a purely residential one, and the owners have gone to considerable expense in constructing boulevards and other improvements. "To allow the erection of the factory would mean a reduction in surrounding values, and an increase in the insurance rates."

Purely Residential.
W. T. Hardaker, one of the owners interested in that the city have been doing their best to build up the locality and improve it. Some of the best residences in the city are now located there, and he claimed the council might just as well grant permission for the building of a factory on Linden avenue or Rockland avenue. Mr. Hardaker took the floor at the meeting and advocated that the factory should be allowed to be erected on Douglas street.

Noah Shakespeare also pointed to the fact that the city is spending a large amount of money in beautifying the city, and yet in the face of that it was now proposed to grant a permit for the erection of the factory. It was an unalled for proposition, and if the factory were erected it would mean a serious depreciation in neighboring values. He failed to see why the owners in that locality should be put to extra expense by increased insurance rates, which would inevitably result were the factory erected.

John Sheret declared that were the factory erected he would have to move out and secure another location. He believed the council had been led astray by the reporters or some one who can use a pencil. Building Inspector Northcott had refused the permit for the factory, and he believed that the official should be the guide and philosopher of the city.

Messrs Deaville and A. Johns also urged the council to refuse the permit on the ground that to allow the erection of the factory would seriously affect values to the extent of 50 per cent. Alderman Stewart, who had been reading the petition, called attention to the fact that some of the signers lived a long way from the site of the proposed factory but Mr. Shakespeare declared that it would affect his property and he lived three blocks away.

Alderman Humber suggested that Messrs Billings and Burdick, who propose to erect the factory, should be heard but Mayor Hall demurred, stating that he did not think the council wished any controversy and Mr. Shakespeare opined that there was nothing further to be said on the question.

Permit Issued.
After the deputation had withdrawn the council went on with its regular business and the topic was not discussed until towards the end of the meeting when, on motion of Ald. Turner, it was decided that the permit should be issued. Mr. Billings stated that the city insisted upon it the company would place its proposed building back from the street front though there would be no necessity for so doing as it was not the intention to load wagons from the front. Ald. Turner urged that as the district along the railway line of the V. & S. is not a residential but a business

section and, unless it is desired that Victoria shall be a residential city pure and simple, the permit should be issued. Ald. Raymond, in seconding the resolution pointed out that with development leagues working for the advancement of the city and island it would be poor policy to stop any industry which might wish to locate here.

AMUSEMENTS

"Three Weeks."

Ellnor Glyn's dramatization of her sensational story, "Three Weeks," will be presented under the same title at the Victoria theatre this coming week by a company of players headed by Miss Beryl Hope and Harry C. Browne.

Miss Glyn's book met with much discussion and the play seems to be attracting as much attention. Contrary to expectations, Miss Glyn has written a love tragedy from the story that is said to be full of human interest and yet has abundant dramatic force and action. One interesting feature not contained in the book shows the unhappy queen at home at Sardinia with the brute king, and serves to show the motive of her subsequent conduct.

The unhappy Queen of Sardinia in Ellnor Glyn's book and play paid the inevitable price of her short lived happiness.

According to reports the success of Ellnor Glyn's "Three Weeks" is the dramatic achievement of the season. It ran two weeks in Denver, Los Angeles and San Francisco. The engagement playing to crowded houses nightly.

Gorge Park.

A change was made last night at the Gorge park when in place of the five that have been shown through the earlier part of the week, six new ones were exhibited. The titles of these are: "The Vacuum Cleaner," "Miss Hilda Puppers," "Captured by Phone," "Love Laughs at Locksmiths," "Fish Story," and "The Virtuous Young Man."

In addition Madame Novelli gives her serpentine dance performance nightly and large crowds are interested in it. The Gorge park attendance are increasing and show the popularity of the outdoor entertainment rendezvous.

Pantages Theatre.

The superior gymnastic and hand-balancing work of Miss Dorlan and Mr. Ansel, at Pantages, in conjunction with the natural grace and pleasing appearance of these excellent performers marks them as top notches in their particular line of entertainment.

The Chartres Sisters in their whistling and vocal creation infuse a kind of a live wire effect that invariably throws the audience into a high and happy tension. Rose Mayo and Leonard Rowe, society players, in a sparkling comedy, "Kitty's Letter," Harry De Lait in a very amusing impersonation of an antique spinster, descriptive ballad and motion pictures, all combine to a satisfying result.

IN DARKEST SEATTLE

Electric Light Plant Crippled, Cars Stopped, and Visitors Groped in Gloom

SEATTLE, July 29.—For more than an hour last evening Seattle was in darkness as far as the lights of the Seattle Electric Company are concerned. None of the cars were in operation, and the thousands of visitors at the exposition groped about in the gloom. The trouble was caused by an electric switch at the Massachusetts street station being bent, when it was opened to such an extent that it could not be closed.

ELECTRIC ROADS TO OPEN ISLAND

D. J. Munn Suggests Scheme to Solve Transportation Problem

That the method of solving the transportation problem on Vancouver Island is by means of electric railways is the opinion of D. J. Munn, of Montreal who left the city yesterday on his return east after a brief visit. Towards this end he considers that all the large water records on the island should be reserved by the government. With electrification the grades, according to the editor of the Islander, would be of such vital importance. The opening up of the island by this means would lead to the transcontinental railway companies coming in to share the traffic which would be bound to develop. In the electrification scheme subsidies would be given by both the Dominion and provincial governments. Mr. Munn is of the opinion that the capital for such a purpose would be easily found.

Mr. Munn is connected with the McArthur Pulp and Paper Company of Montreal and is also one of the directors of the Alberta Central Railway. He was formerly engaged in business in this province.

FIERCE WAR ARE WAGED IN SPAIN

Paris, July 29.—The internal situation in Spain now completely overshadows the war in Africa in the eyes of Europe. Although official despatches received here from Madrid predict an early restoration of order in the province of Catalonia, grave fears are entertained that expectations will be disappointed.

The decision of Premier Maura's cabinet yesterday to place the country under martial law and employ the army to repress the revolt in Catalonia, as an alternative of convoking parliament, may provoke an extension of the insurrection which will endanger the dynasty.

Preparations now being made in Madrid to quell the disturbances include the despatch to Catalonia of the entire Third and Fourth army corps and the Madrid cavalry brigade under command of Prince Charles of Bourbon, who was about to leave for Melilla. Prince Ferdinand of Bavaria, one of the squadron commanders of the brigade.

The scale upon which the military intervention is planned proves that the government entertains no illusion about half way measures and is ready to take the responsibility of putting down the revolt ruthlessly as a warning for the future. Barcelona and frontier reports leave little doubt that the workmen's organizations and revolutionary and anarchists have made common cause in old Catalonia, and that thus far they have had the best of the situation. The withdrawal

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of troops for the campaign in Africa left less than 5,000 men in the garrison at Barcelona, and the infuriated mob after committing all sorts of excesses, including the burning and sacking of church property everywhere erected barricades in order to hold their position.

Entire Army Mobilized

Madrid, July 29.—In view of the grave situation in Barcelona which is steadily growing more serious, the naval infantry has been ordered to that city. Senor Laclavra, the Minister of the Interior, now termed the Spanish Treachery, today announced that any newspaper printing reports disagreeing with official information would be prosecuted and the editions suppressed. Since the declaration of martial law throughout Spain yesterday, the censorship over news has been more severe.

The complete mobilization of the Spanish army has been ordered. All officers on leave have been recalled. The reserves of all classes have been summoned to the colors. The railroad lines in the North of Spain are strictly guarded, and no one is allowed to enter Spain without the permission of the military authorities. The garrisons at Burgos, Logroño, Vitoria and other towns are under arms. The censor forbids telegraphic communication with Bilbao.

The Royal family is hastily returning to Madrid from San Sebastian. It is reported that Premier Maura has tendered his resignation, but that King Alfonso has declined to accept it. A statement was issued this morning by the minister of finance designed

A special despatch from Gibraltar says all Spanish batteries stationed in that vicinity have received hurried orders to embark at once for Melilla. The embarkation of the troops is now proceeding and it is now believed that large number will leave in the course of the day. More than 100 wounded Spaniards were landed this morning, and taken to the hospitals.

Revolution at Barcelona

Barcelona, Spanish Frontier, July 29.—The desperate condition of affairs at Barcelona is shown in reports received here from the disturbed city. These show that the revolutionary element holds the upper hand. The Government troops finding themselves insufficient to retake the revolutionary stronghold, have been forced to abandon several quarters, leaving the revolutionists in control. The streets of the city are barricaded with huge piles of stones and earth. Furniture and plants are heaped in these barricades to the heights of the first story.

The arrival of reinforcements, so urgently needed by the Government forces, is retarded by the destruction of the railroads and the other avenues of communication leading to the city. The revolutionists are heavily armed with muskets, knives and revolvers. They have effective organization and special equipment which promptly looks after the dead and wounded.

With the arrival of a regiment of reinforcements which the Government succeeded in getting through yesterday, the inhabitants were warned to keep within for the succeeding fourteen hours.

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IMPERIAL DEFENCE.

While the proceedings of the conference on naval defence are being conducted in camera, the London Times intimates that three principles have been accepted, which it thus defines:

1. That each Dominion must develop naval resources of its own.
2. Training material for this naval force must be as far as possible, the same.
3. All individual efforts must be coordinated to common end.

At the British Club banquet Mr. Haldane proposed the toast of "The Imperial Defence Conference," and in the course of his remarks said the Empire is "one and indivisible" on the question of defence, and he placed the navy in the first place. Sir Frederick Borden, who is one of the Canadian representatives at the conference, replied. He said the several dominions recognized their imperial responsibility, and that the people of Canada were prepared to pay their share of the cost. He looked upon thorough preparations for local defence as the best preparation for imperial defence. Referring to the military policy of Canada, he said that it ought to be so carried out that if it were desired to send a force to any part of Europe it could be done. He asked why the same thing cannot be done in the case of the navy. Sir Frederick's remarks seem to warrant the opinion that the policy of the Canadian government is the establishment of an effective navy under Canadian control primarily, but affiliated with the Royal navy, and in case of war under the same general command. A system of imperial defence based upon such a principle would, if honestly carried out, prove very effective. It would provide for at least four auxiliary navies ready to act in cooperation with that of the United Kingdom. As the self-governing dominions increase in wealth and population there would be built up under such a plan a remarkable combination of fleets, which would be a potent factor in preserving the peace of the world. Under it British naval supremacy would remain unchallenged, for no European power could hope to create anything corresponding to the Overseas fleets, and the United Kingdom can always be trusted to hold her own in European waters.

The Imperial Defence Conference seems likely to be an epoch-making gathering. We quote with hearty approval Sir Frederick Borden's statement that "Canada would be prepared to spend its last dollar to assist in maintaining the integrity of the Empire."

SPAIN.

"At this time Spain was unable to interfere because she was marching headlong to utter ruin." So wrote a historian speaking of the invasion of Austria by the Turks in the latter part of the Seventeenth Century. Historically, we suppose the march was then in progress but the stage of utter ruin has not yet been reached. The first blow at the prestige of Spain was struck by Francis Drake, when he sacked the town of Nombre de Dios, which was in 1572. The nation has therefore been a long time dying. The record is a pitiful one. The question of today is not if Spain will continue to exist as a nation, but under what conditions will it exist. Its present regime dates from its war with the Moors in Europe. Will it be ended by war with the Moors in Africa?

The present disturbances are more acute at Barcelona than elsewhere. This city is on the shores of the Mediterranean near the northwestern corner of the kingdom. It is a city of about 300,000 people, a manufacturing centre of considerable importance and the headquarters of a large coasting trade. Four lines of railway centre there. It is a very ancient city, having been founded, probably, by a colony from Carthage, even before Rome was built. In a direct line it is about 350 miles from Madrid, but considerably further by the railway lines. Being accessible from the sea, the government can easily throw a force of men into the city provided the army and navy remain loyal.

A dispatch which needs confirmation, says that rioting has begun in Madrid and that King Alfonso was hissed by the mob, when he appeared at a window of the palace. A despatch of the same date said that the royal family were returning to Madrid from San Sebastian which is a long way from the capital. We may look for a good many exaggerated reports of various accounts. The most serious feature of yesterday's news was the disastrous defeat of the Spaniards by the Moors at Melilla. This city is on the African coast. It has belonged to Spain for

some time and has been used as a penal settlement and a depot of military stores. The population is less than 3000; but a strong garrison has been maintained there. The cause of the outbreak of hostilities with the Moors is not very well understood. It is said to have arisen out of a dispute over mining lands; but its real cause is centuries old.

Political conditions in Spain have been greatly unsettled for a long time. About thirty years ago a strong republican movement was rampant, but it collapsed for want of a leader. There was one man in Spain at that time who could have abolished the monarchy, Signor Castellar; but he refused to take the lead in such a revolution, for he said the people were not fit for republican institutions. Barcelona has always been a troublesome part of the Spanish monarchy.

AS OTHERS SEE US.

The World's Work says that British Columbia is essentially American—by which it means United States—except Victoria, which city is very English, even more so than many cities in England itself. This observation is that of a superficial observer. British Columbia is essentially Canadian. Victoria is not more English than some other towns in Canada. The reason for thinking British Columbia "American" is that the methods of "booming" real estate in Vancouver are similar to those adopted in Seattle. We join issue upon the point that the methods of Vancouver real estate men are in any wise different from the methods of other real estate men in Canada. But we let that pass. Vancouver can look after itself without our assistance. No reason is giving for thinking that Victoria is more English than many places in England, possibly because the writer of the article did not know any. The readiness with which people who have never been in England recognize the likeness between Victoria and English cities is remarkable. The cause of this is in part to be found in some of our tourist literature, wherein the city is described as "a little bit of England." It is not a good idea to get abroad. The expression was used to catch the eye of the casual tourist, whose means did not permit him to see the real England, and who consequently came here to see something "just as good," as the vendors of patent medicines are alleged to say on all occasions. Doubtless there are parts of Victoria where, because of the luxuriance of the tree, shrub, and flower growth, something resembling to a greater or less degree some parts of England is to be found. Perhaps the hedges and high board fences, now not so common as they were, suggest what is called English exclusiveness. Perhaps the fact that there are a good many English people in town and country makes it unlike most other Canadian towns. Perhaps the fondness of the ladies for five o'clock tea suggests England to tourists, whose literary food is the novel of alleged English life. Perhaps the fact that our people are not, as the Boston man said of the New Yorkers, "eternally in a hurry to get nowhere and do nothing," suggests England to a visitor who thinks he is not doing justice to himself and his city if he is not eternally at high pressure. For all these things, except the high board fences, we trust that we are duly thankful; but they do not make Victoria more English than some cities in England. They are attractive features of the city. They are, among other things, what makes everybody who has stayed here any length of time wish in the bottom of their hearts that Providence would so order matters that they could remain here the rest of their natural lives. But there is another Victoria, which has kept itself somewhat in the background, but is making its influence felt. It is a Victoria which refuses to regard itself as simply a residential point; that is determined to take advantage of its splendid opportunities; that, while British to the core in all that pertains to loyalty to the Crown, to British institutions, and to the Empire, is thoroughly Canadian in its confidence in the future of the country and in its determination to share fully in its growth and prosperity. The real Victoria is not simply "a little bit of England," but a Canadian city full of hope for the future.

Madame Nordica has married a banker. Madame Nordica's own notes were fairly valuable.

In regard to young girls instructing young Chinamen, how would the following do? Permit no intercourse with young Chinamen that would not be permitted with young white men.

Doubtless the Post is sincere in thinking that the press of Canada accepted as gospel the pratings of certain yellow London journals about English decadence; but we fear its experience in Canadian journalism is of too recent origin to qualify it to judge.

The Princess Alexandra of Fife has concluded that a matrimonial alliance with the King of Portugal is a little too risky, and has concluded not to contract it. Most people will think her wise. It would not have been a love match any way, although she is apparently a nice little girl and he is a nice enough boy.

A correspondent of a contemporary asks whether the Lord's Day Alliance base their Sunday legislation on religious or political grounds. The Secretary of the Alliance answered such a question when the Colonist proposed it to him by saying that it was not

based on religious grounds, but intended solely to secure the people one day of rest in seven.

The proposed compromise of the E. & N. bridge question would really be better than no right of crossing at all. If the city loses in the proceedings before the Railway Commissioners, it may be impossible to get what the company is now willing to grant. We have, however, a good deal of faith in the good sense of the Commission, and perhaps it can find a way out of what now seems to be an impasse.

Mr. John D. Rockefeller has given \$52,000,000 to the General Education Board of the United States. He could not have given it if he had not first got it. Here there is question for debate: Would it have been better that he should never have got it than that he should have got it and given it? When that question is answered correctly, a grave problem in social and political economy will have been solved.

It does not matter much to any one what becomes of that dirty little wretch Thaw, who would have been dead and buried long ago if his mother was not a millionaire, but it does matter a good deal to the people of the United States how the farce now on the boards in White Plains, N. Y., is played out. The murderer on examination claims to be perfectly sane, although he admits that he may have been insane when he killed his victim. If he is released, a premium will be put upon murder in the United States, for his escape from the consequence of his crime will inspire others to similar deeds, and the precedent of his acquittal will influence juries in other cases. Law and justice are themselves on trial in New York.

A very interesting decision has just been given by the Supreme Court of California. It is that "the goodwill of an undertaking forms no part of the valuation of a public service corporation in fixing rates." The Contra Costa Water Company supplied the city of Oakland, and under the law the City Council had the right to fix the rate to consumers. With this object they investigated the affairs of the company and found its plant to be worth \$3,500,000, and fixed a rate that would return 5.63 per cent. on this amount. The company, being dissatisfied, applied to a judge, who doubled the valuation, the additional amount representing the goodwill. The company then elected a city council that was subservient to its will, and that council fixed the water rate so as to yield 7 per cent. on \$7,000,000. Fortunately for the citizens the council, which had had the valuation made in the first instance, appealed from the decision of the judge to the Supreme Court, and no succeeding council ventured to withdraw the appeal. Pending the decision of the appeal, the Contra Costa Company sold to the People's Water Company for \$10,000,000. The decision in the case is that the valuation of the property at \$3,500,000 and the rate of 5.63 per cent. on that amount shall stand. The decision is not binding upon any court outside of the State of California; but the reasons which led the judges to the decision deserve weighty consideration, for they appear to be greatly in the public interest.

The London Morning Post thinks the "sanest and most hopeful method of dealing with pauper children is to board them out to Canada and the other Dominions as early as possible." This is one of a class of observations which sound wiser than they are, because they are expressions of opinion from those who would not know how to carry them into effect. It is probably not a matured opinion, formed after examining the case from every point of view, but the hasty judgment of one who felt called upon to say something. We can well believe that the problem presented by the pauper children of England is a very serious one. We also are ready to admit it to be the duty of Canada and the other Dominions to assist in the regeneration of our own race. To say these things is to utter the merest commonplace observations. What would be of value would be the suggestion of some practical means whereby the desired regeneration can be brought about. We saw the other day that a pauper Canadian child in Toronto sought relief from her troubles in the kindly waters of Lake Ontario. Canada has not yet learned how to take care of her own pauper children, and to send a lot of pauper children from England to our shores might, except under a well devised and well administered system, be worse than a failure. The Morning Post seems to think that the practice of shipping ne'er-do-wells to "the Colonies" might be extended a little further with advantage. We do not say it might not be; but we do say that, if our London contemporary thinks so, it ought to tell us how the selection is to be made in England and how the children are to be placed in Canada.

The Child in the Garden.
When to the garden of untroubled thought
I came of late, and saw the open door,
And wished again to enter and explore
The sweet, wild ways with stainless bloom inwrought,
And bowers of innocence with beauty fraught,
It seemed some purer voice must speak before
It dared to tread the garden, loved of yore,
That Eden lost unknown, and found unsought.
Then just within the gate I saw a child—
A strange child, yet to my heart most dear—
He held his hands to me, and softly smiled
With eyes that knew no shade of sin or fear.
"Come in," he said, "and play awhile with me;
I am the little child you used to be."
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But don't be satisfied with looking in the windows. Costs no more to come inside and there is so much more to see in here, too. Make it a point to visit our furniture store today.

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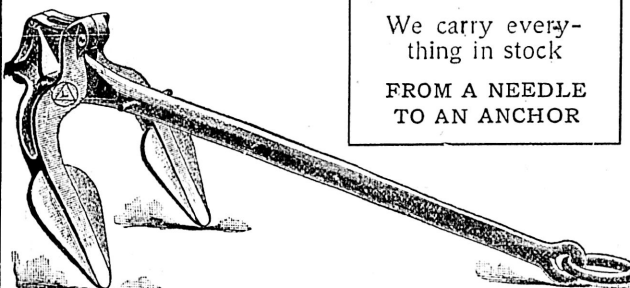
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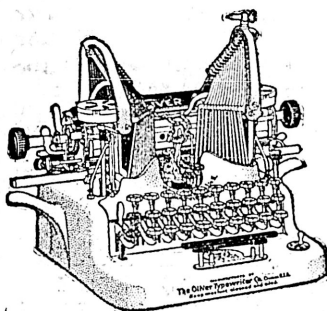
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NEWS OF THE CITY

Oak Bay Council to Meet

A meeting of the Oak Bay council will be held in the Law Chambers this morning, when some routine work will be transacted.

Oak Bay Taxpayers

Saturday is the last day in which the taxpayers in the Oak Bay municipality will be allowed one-sixth rebate in paying their taxes for the current year. The taxes have been coming in better than usual this year, but still there are a number outstanding.

Permit For Large Block

The largest permit which has been issued since the present system of building permits was inaugurated yesterday when the permit for the new Pemberton block, now in course of erection on Port street, was taken out by C. E. Mesher & Company. The permit provided for a \$250,000 building. With the issue of the permit the July building figures are swelled to an amount, the largest in the history of the city since the erection of the Empress hotel.

Agreement Delayed.

Owing to the fact that the draft agreement between the city and the B. C. Electric company has not yet been returned from Vancouver, where it is now being considered by the company, the bylaw prepared for submission to the ratepayers and incorporating the agreement was not considered by the city council at the special meeting held last night. It is probable that the agreement, with the company's assent or refusal of the clauses added by the city council recently will be ready on Monday evening, when it will come before the civic fathers.

Street Work Held Up.

Pending an investigation by a special committee of the city council composed of Aldermen Stewart, Turner, and McKeown, the proposed improvements to Forbes, Cecil, and other thoroughfares in that section will not be made. At last night's special meeting of the city council reports made by the city engineer covering the cost of the proposed improvements were presented. The aggregate cost of the work is in the neighborhood of \$63,000, of which the city will pay one-fifth. On the suggestion of Alderman Stewart the work will not be done until it is ascertained whether the expenditure of the money is necessary.

Rock Contract Ready

The contract between the city and H. W. E. Canavan, from whom the municipal crushed rock supply will be secured, will be signed today. The city agrees to accept 50,000 cubic yards of rock at \$1.80 per yard delivered. The material will be quarried from section 49, Esquimalt district. Mr. Canavan is to have the privilege to construct bunkers at his own expense at the foot of Herald street, such bunkers to become the property of the city at the termination of the contract of the city to pay the actual cost of construction. The bunkers are to be completed and delivery of rock commenced on September 30. The contractor is to keep at all times 200 yards of rock in the bunkers. The city has the option of taking a further amount up to 150,000 yards of rock should it be required, the city rock crusher to be purchased and paid for in cash by Mr. Canavan.

Policy of the G. T. Pacific

The following extract from an interview with C. M. Hays, president of the Grand Trunk Pacific, will be read with interest: Many of the readers of Canada being interested in the investments, our representative was anxious to ascertain whether the Town Site Company would place any shares on the market or if the railway would form a subsidiary company to erect grain elevators along their line. "The Town Site Company," said Mr. Hays, "is owned entirely by the Grand Trunk Pacific railway; there are no individuals having any personal interests in the Town Site Company, or in the town sites themselves, other than they may have acquired by the purchase of lots, and there can be no special concessions made to favored parties. What is even more advantageous, all these new town sites will be laid out in a way that will ensure the growth of a far better built town than would be the case with private individuals selling land for their own immediate profit. Parks will be laid out, and all along the line the situation and plans of the town sites will be arranged with a view to their advantageous development. In regard to grain elevators, the Grand Trunk Pacific has decided not to enter into this business itself along the line of the road, but it has encouraged individual companies to build elevators, charging them a very nominal ground rent of a few dollars, and by this means competition is ensured, and the farmers will never be at the mercy of any one elevator which in other railways in the past has been the cause of much hardship to the farmer."

FIRMS TO CATER TO JUBILEE HOSPITAL

Tenders for Supplies Awarded at Meeting of the Directors.

A meeting of the board of directors of the Royal Jubilee hospital was held yesterday afternoon for the purpose of awarding tenders for supplies for the twelve months commencing August 1. The president, E. A. Lewis, was in the chair, the following being present: D. E. Campbell, H. D. Helmecken, A. Wilson, H. E. Newton, R. S. Day, F. W. Vincent, J. W. Bolden and Secretary Elworthy.

The meeting was of short duration, the following tenders for supplies being awarded: Meat, Goodacre & Sons; groceries, the Windsor Grocery Company; drugs, Hall & Co.; fish and poultry, D. K. Chugranes; bread, Rennie & Taylor; milk, Finnelly & Sons; printing, Colonist Printing & Publishing Co.

Colored Skirts Reduced. Ladies' muslin and satin underskirts in light and dark colors, plain and lace trimmed. Regular \$1.25; challenge sale price, 95c. Robinson's Cash Store, 642 Yates street.

Glasgow poor rate is to be raised a penny higher this year. One police constable in Manchester has brought in less than 1,000 charges against people for working horses in an unit state.



THE WEATHER

Meteorological office, Victoria, B. C., at 8 p. m., July 29, 1909.

SYNOPSIS.

The barometer remains abnormally low over the northern portion of the province and rain is falling along the coast. The water is fair and warm from Cariboo and eastward to Manitoba.

TEMPERATURE.

	Mln.	Max.
Victoria	51	70
Vancouver	57	75
New Westminster	56	74
Kamloops	58	88
Barkerville	46	68
Fort Simpson	44	56
Atlin	46	54
Dawson	48	58
Calgary, Alta.	50	78
Winnipeg, Man.	54	76
Portland, Ore.	58	80
San Francisco, Cal.	50	60

FORECASTS.

For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific Time) Friday:
Victoria and Vicinity: Winds mostly southerly and westerly, partly cloudy with showers.
Lower Mainland: Light to moderate winds, mostly cloudy with showers.

THURSDAY.

Highest	70
Lowest	51
Mean	60
Sunshine, 2 hours, 48 minutes.	

COUNTRY CLUB

AT KOKSILAH

Pleasure Promising Plans By No Means Abandoned and Construction to Begin at Early Day.

The proposed establishment of an ideal Country Club at Koksilah, one of Vancouver Island's beautiful fishing and hunting resorts, has not been abandoned as reported. For various reasons the progress expected has not yet been made, but the property necessary has been purchased by the promoters, the plans have been prepared, and in the not distant future work will begin in the laying out of what promises to be a sportsman's Blythum.

On the site that has been purchased, it will be possible to lay out a golf course second to none in the Northwest; a series of tennis courts so placed as to give the players the benefit of the best light and the spectators the advantage of huge shade trees; to protect the trout of Koksilah River, thus giving Waltons the best of angling, and to protect also the feathered game most stringently.

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When the work will start is indefinite as yet. But it will not be long, and once the work is inaugurated, it will be quickly rushed to completion.

Saturday, July 31st will be the last day of the auction Sale of Jewelry at Felix McManus', corner Douglas and Johnson streets.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Parsons Hill School. Sealed tenders, superscribed "Tender for Schoolhouse," will be received by the Hon. the Minister of Public Works up to and including Monday, the 16th day of August, 1909, for the erection and completion of a small one-room framed schoolhouse at Parsons Hill, in the Chilliwack Electoral district.

Plans, specifications, contract and forms of tender may be seen on and after the 27th day of July, 1909, at the offices of the Minister of Public Works, B. C. Chas. W. Webb, Esq., secretary of the school board, Chilliwack, B. C., and at the Department of Public Works, Victoria, B. C.

Each proposal must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque, or certificate of deposit on a chartered bank in Canada, made payable to the Hon. the Minister of Public Works for a sum equivalent to ten per cent. of the amount of the tender, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering decline to enter into contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for.

The cheques or certificates of deposit of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them upon the execution of the contract.

Tenders will not be considered unless made out on the forms supplied, signed with the actual signature of the tenderer, and enclosed in the envelopes furnished.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. F. C. GAMBLE, Public Works Engineer, Victoria, B. C., 24th July, 1909.

Victoria No. 2 Building Society

The Semi-Annual General Meeting of the above Society will be held at the Secretary's Office, 617 Trowace avenue, at 8 p.m., on Friday, July 30th, 1909, to receive the Secretary's Financial Statement and such other business as may be brought before the meeting, together with the holding of the 16th drawing for an appropriation.

See that your shares are in good standing. By order, A. ST. G. FLINT, Secretary.

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Fernwood Road, between Gladstone and Grant streets is closed to vehicular traffic until further orders. C. H. DUFF, City Engineer.

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The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. W. NORTHCOTT, Purchasing Agent, City Hall, June 17, 1909

WANTED

Applications for the position of Clerk of Works for the Moss Street School will be received by the Victoria School Board up to 31st of July. Salary \$5 per day.

ISABELLA MOORE, Secretary.

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THREE MEN TEACHERS holding 1st Class Certificates, with Normal training, for the Victoria Public Schools. Salary, \$80 a month. Applications received up to July 31st.

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F. G. RICHARDS, Sheriff of the County of Victoria for the Sheriff of the County of Nanaimo. Sheriff's Office, Victoria, B. C., July 19th, 1909.

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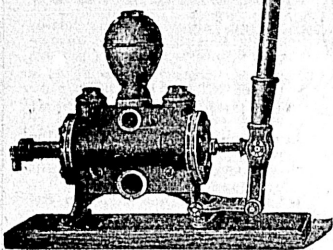
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FAMOUS TRAVELER
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R. L. Jefferson, Who Rode Bicycle to Khiva. Here at Present

Spending a week in Victoria, visiting R. L. Jefferson, manager of the Elmsley Automobile company, is a noted British traveler, Robert Louis Jefferson, F.R.G.S., the only living Englishman who has ridden to Khiva, and seen the inside of the walls of the great Asiatic city, and who has many notable journeys a wheel and in motor cars to his credit.

He has ridden through Europe, Asia, India and Africa a wheel and by motor, has crossed Siberia, and made other notable rides and had numerous adventures.

Starting from where Kim looked upon Zam-zamah, the great gun, in front of the "Wonder House," as Kipling called the museum at Lahore, he rode over the trunk road across India, and, after a stay in Victoria intends to proceed to London to make another trip across India—this time by motor. He is travelling in the interest of the Rover car and has one with him which he intends to use to advantage on the roads of Victoria during his stay.

As correspondent of the London Chronicle Mr. Jefferson has written much regarding Canada during his tour across Canada, his last letter being with regard to the attitude of Canadians toward the Englishman, a matter which he considers has been overdone. He found no special antipathy, although in some places there seemed to be a tendency to regard the nation as more of less decadent, a mistaken opinion which was to be deplored. He was greatly impressed with Canada, with its resources and opportunities, its loyalty, and promise for the future.

Wrote Many Books.

Mr. Jefferson is not only a great traveler, but has much reputation as an author. His principal books are the books of travel of which he writes, namely: "To Constantinople on a Bicycle," "A wheel to Moscow and Back," "Roughing It in Siberia," "Across Siberia on a Bicycle," "Through a Continent on Wheels," and "A Ride to Khiva." He has also written novels and numerous articles. A critic recently said: "His Indian stories are first-rate, and his knowledge of the people, their customs and ways, and the remarkable scenes he witnessed, enable him, combined with his own natural ability, to retail adventures and describe life in the torrid zone in truly delightful fashion. Some of the pictures he paints are alluring enough to tempt one straightaway to 'India's coral strand'; there are others which are equal to some of Kipling's grimmest in the matter of tragic strangeness, for it seems inevitable that the mystery of the East touches every traveler there."

A Wanderer.

On many occasions he has voluntarily imitated Ishmael, and become a wanderer, on the face of the earth—though always returning to civilization when he so desired. It was hardly to be added that he was always received with acclamation. Once a fair rider on the path, he developed into the greatest long-distance traveler we have ever had in wheel and on his first great jaunt was to Constantinople on a bicycle in the early nineties, when we all looked upon him as a peddling pilgrim of high renown. His descriptions of that "voyage" are as quaint and weird, and still remain among the best things in cycling literature.

"Then he went to Moscow, and his rides and walks through Europe and the wastes of that cold and dreary land ruled over by the Colossus of the North gave him adventures enough to make his hair curl."

Lost in Siberia.

Of the many occasions when he and death have flirted with each other, one of the closest calls he had was when riding across the Siberian steppes. Like the Canadian prairies they are great even plains without trees or hollows, and the only method of keeping to the trail is to follow the telegraph posts. Nomad Khergiz live in their yurts on the great steppes, but their habitations are usually far apart. When his night was near one day during his long ride he came to a post station and the Russian guards advised him not to go on. It was but thirty versts (about twenty miles) to the next station and he thought he could make the distance before night set in. The telegraph posts are laid in a fairly straight line but the trail winds, trade in the east are like cowpaths—they follow the way made by the first traveler—and sometimes the posts are almost out of sight. At nightfall the trail became faint and suddenly he noted that the posts were out of sight. The trail ceased and he was on unbroken steppes—lost. He had tried to make a short cut to break the winding of the trail and had lost his way.

Lay Down to Die.

The hopelessness of his situation came to him when after twilight had darkened into night he rode into a swamp. He floundered out, dragging his wheel, and sat down by its side. He had neither food nor water and was thoroughly fatigued, and fully conscious that he was lost. With burning eyes, and his head aching he dropped off to sleep, and when daybreak came he staggered on, seeking for the trail. There was no sign of the lost trail, and hour after hour he pedaled across the steppes, seemingly getting further away. All day he rode, the lack of food adding to his fatigue, and finally, worn out, starved and hopeless he gave up and laid down. He had done all he could—and now was going to die. He dozed and on waking started about the steppes.

Saved by Khergiz.

All seemed lost when he saw a faint whisp of blue smoke on the horizon. This gave him hope. He knew that

where there was smoke there might be life and aid, and he fought, dragging his wheel, sometimes on his hands and knees, more often crawling than walking. Ultimately he saw a yurt, a ramshackle hovel in which some of the desert nomads lived on the steppes, and he staggered toward it. Plunging in he fell on his knees and dipped his face in a bowl of water in the centre of the place, and the women jumped and screamed and the Khergiz sprung forward with their weapons bared.

It seemed that he had left death by starvation to find it by the knife, when he shouted to them in Russian that he meant them no harm. They understood and returned their weapons. Brokenly he told them of his predicament, and stayed a day with them, being given soup and other food. After recovering during a day spent with the Khergiz he went on, and the head of the yurt accompanied him on a Mongol pony as a guide, taking him back to the line of posts and safety.

Saw Armenian Massacre.

This was one of the closest shaves Mr. Jefferson had of many narrow escapes from death. During his career he had on three occasions to kill men to save himself. One of these occasions was during the first Armenian massacres which he witnessed and shudders as he recalls the horrors of the time. He was cycling in the Balkans then and came to Ezerom and Trebizonde at the time of the atrocities which aroused the world against "Abdul the Damned" in 1896.

Rode to Khiva.

His ride to Khiva took place in 1898 just a quarter of a century after Col. Burnaby's famous ride. He started from London and on landing in France



MR. R. L. JEFFERSON.

biked across to Samara and Orenburg thence crossing the trackless Kizil Kum, which is translated "Red Sands," following as near as possible the route of the famous soldier who was afterwards killed in the Sudan.

He had explored many parts of Siberia and had been prospecting near the head waters of the Yenisei when he determined to emulate Col. Burnaby. His ambition grew with experience, and he undertook the most perilous journey of all cycle, to Khiva, thus outdoing the remarkable feat of the celebrated Col. Burnaby. Mr. Jefferson is probably the only Englishman living who has looked upon the walls of Khiva in the great Asiatic desert land, for the only other celebrated Briton beside the one mentioned above, who has written of that tremendous journey and described it graphically, has been dead these many years—Macgashan, of the Daily News, contemporary and comrade of the famous Archibald Forbes, of the same journal.

Went to Constantinople.

It was in 1894 that Mr. Jefferson started his notable series of long distance rides a wheel. He left London and proceeded on his trip through France, Switzerland, Italy, Austria, Hungary, Servia, Bulgaria and Turkey to Constantinople. His arrival in the Turkish capital created a sensation, and the late Sultan issued an "irade" prohibiting the faithful from riding bicycles. The irade stated that the ruler of the faithful considered them not only immoral, but dangerous. The Sultan did not take kindly at all to the wheel.

Record Across Europe.

In 1893 Charles Terront, a French rider made a record long distance ride from Paris to St. Petersburg and back, and the English rider went out in 1895 to beat this. He was to ride to Moscow and back, a greater distance, in 50 days and accomplished the long ride in 49 days and eight minutes. This record stands unbeaten today, though 13 years have elapsed. He rode from London to Queensborough, crossed to Flushing and rode through Arnhem, Rheine, Brunswick, Berlin, Posen, Warsaw, saw, to Moscow, and back the same way. Somebody in Moscow chaffingly asked him why he didn't ride across Siberia. This set him thinking, and he decided that the Siberian ride would make a nice little holiday.

Over the Steppes.

His original idea was to ride from Moscow to Irkutsk, in Siberia, but as soon as his scheme became known, a Russian determined to be the first to cycle across Siberia. Hearing of this, Mr. Jefferson decided to start from London, ride through Holland, Germany, and Poland, to Moscow, and thence over the Ural Mountains to the capital of Siberia, a trifle of 10,000 miles. He did it. In 1898, sighing for more worlds to conquer, he cycled from London to Khiva, following the route Burnaby pursued on his famous horse-backed ride in the Mongolian steppes. These are only his larger journeying rides. Of what he has done in the way of ordinary cycle touring there is no end.

In Motor Now.

Later, when the motor came along, the distinguished traveler toured the Balkans and India in his car, and seems to have had as many hair-breadth escapes and perils under petrol as when pedaling; but, like his great peer, Forbes, the organization of his journeys was always exceedingly well done, and the carry-through part vigorous, determined, and inevitable. In no single one of his many travels his programme has been shortened or altered. To give some idea of how relentlessly he follows his plan, it may be mentioned that in his Mongolian journey something happened to his bicycle, when more than a hundred miles from that city, which precluded him for the nonce from riding. He could not get it repaired, so whipped the machine

aboard the train, went to Moscow, got the bicycle put right, returned, and finished his ride on his wheel. As a motorist he has driven from London to Constantinople, taking the first motor car into Turkey after obtaining the Sultan's special permission (which that potentate may now regret having given). He has also driven car in India, Burma, the Straits Settlements, Java, Ceylon and South Africa. In the latter country he was the first to drive from coast to coast, viz., from Durban to Cape Town via Johannesburg, beating the car record from Johannesburg by two days. Some years ago he was created a Fellow of the Royal Geographical society.

Mr. Jefferson proposes to spend a week in Victoria. He is waiting for the arrival of his Rover car and will do some motorizing, having heard much regarding the scenic beauties and roads of this city. After leaving here he is going back to London to prepare for another ride across India.

There are few men who have done a tithe in the way of travelling of what Mr. Jefferson has accomplished, and none of your Cook's tours or personally conducted excursions either. Full of love of the adventurous, and unconventionally, Mr. Jefferson has always in his voyages cut off the beaten track, and got off entirely "on his own." That is to say, he has relied on his own pluck and spirit, his own physique and his own resource. In the old days, when he was closely identified with every phase of cycling, he did wonderful rides to all sorts of impossible places. He disappeared for months. Then he suddenly turned up again, to be, perhaps, welcomed at a dinner, and very soon a book describing his journey was published. But for all his hard work that other men have never thought of doing, and could not do if they had, Mr. Jefferson still remains the most modest and unassuming of men.

SAYS DANGER HAS
BEEN MAGNIFIED

No Cause for Fear on Behalf of Women Working Among Chinese

The following letter was received by Rev. Dr. Campbell from Rev. Dr. Mackay, secretary of the Foreign Mission committee of the Presbyterian church. Dr. Campbell endorses the sentiments of the letter and declares that during the 17 years of his residence in Victoria, he has been intimately associated with mission work among the Chinese, where the large majority of teachers were ladies. He is not aware of anything but that of propriety, kindness and appreciation on the part of the young Chinamen who are taught every evening in mission classes.

Dr. Campbell maintains that while the horrible murder of Elsie Sigel is a terrible calamity, it is so great an exception to the tenor of the conduct of the Chinese toward lady teachers and missionaries, that none but those much prejudiced against the Chinese, and the efforts of Christians to give them the gospel, would make it a basis for a cry to withdraw lady missionaries from so noble work.

Dear Dr. Campbell, just see in the Victoria Colonist, a copy of which you kindly sent me, a paragraph copied from a Vancouver paper warning young women against mission work amongst the Chinese, which the acting mayor describes as "a piece of great stupidity."

The city commissioners are so exercised about it that they are regretting that there seems to be no legal means of preventing it. All this because of the very horrible murder of Elsie Sigel in New York.

I happened to be in New York at the time this terrible tragedy occurred. Some of the New York journals took the same attitude taken by the Vancouver commissioners, but some—and the more influential and prominent papers—did not.

Are we to discontinue Christian work because there is a measure of danger? There are thousands of lady missionaries in China today, and yet there were terrible Boxer massacres in 1900. Should the missionaries withdraw? I can understand people who have no use for missions and do not believe in the Cross, saying that they ought. I have heard a man say that instead of missionaries we should send shot and shell to such people.

But I am not speaking of Christian people who believe in missions and in Him who said to His disciples when sending them forth, that they were to be as sheep amongst wolves. Are they to turn back because there is some degree of danger? It was the same Christ that gave the command. Let us follow that example. He that loveth his life for His sake and the gospel's shall save it.

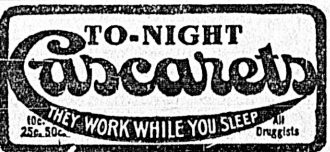
But what is the real danger? I think I can give you ten instances of crime by white men for one by Chinese. We have in Toronto about 1,200 Chinese and we have 20 schools in which they are taught by hundreds of young people and largely by young women. I have yet to learn the first instance of misconduct. There may have been such but it has not come under my notice, and I may say that I am directly associated with these workers. Many of them testify that not only do they enjoy the work but have themselves been blessed in seeking to bless others.

The only real danger is that young women, like Miss Sigel, who do not know how to conduct themselves, take part in this work. That kind cannot do good work anywhere. But any young woman who has a good purpose in life, and believes in the power of the power of God, has nothing to fear, but everything to gain by taking part in this or any similar Christian work.

The results justify the effort. Whilst among Chinese as well as amongst Canadians there are the disappointing ones, there are of the other hand high types of Christian character and self sacrifice amongst the Chinese as amongst any other people in the world. The work tells and the harvest is sure.

R. P. MACKAY.

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JOHN'S FLUID BEEF, 16-oz. bottle	90c
PINEAPPLE, 1½-pound cans, 2 for	25c
JELLIED VEAL, 1-lb. tin	20c
2-lb. can	35c
CLARK'S OR ARMOUR'S PORK, BEANS AND TOMATO SAUCE, 3 tins for	25c
CLARK'S POTTED MEAT FOR SANDWICHES, 4 tins for	25c
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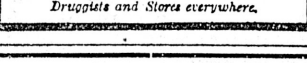
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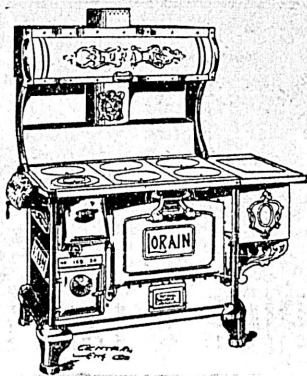
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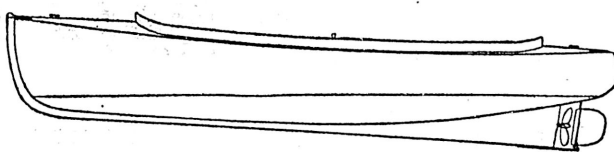
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FRED J. FULTON,

Chief Commissioner of Lands,

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Victoria, 19th July, 1909.

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Here and There

While in Victoria we may readily grant that there is as yet no pressing need for playground space such as is felt in Toronto or Montreal, the need is not entirely absent. The little ones can play in the backyards or on the lawns. The boys have recreation grounds where they can take part in baseball or cricket or football according to the season. But the young girls have nowhere to go and nothing to do.

This, of course, does not apply to the daughters of rich parents, who have large grounds. They can play croquet and tennis and other outdoor games. Ladies and gentlemen may enjoy the game of golf almost anywhere. But the girls who are not the children of the rich, what are they to do? They cannot be always reading. Even if their mothers needed their help all day long, the most pleasant work grows monotonous, especially to that bundle of nerves and contradictions, the half-grown girl. For the amusement, which is a necessity of healthy life, she must depend on the evening entertainment, an aimless walk, too often through the public streets, or perhaps the cheap theatre. If her mother has time and is wise, she may make her a companion in bicycle rides or let her invite her school mates to frequent picnics. If she has an aunt or grandmother in the country, she may safely in most but not all cases spend her summer holidays there.

That there are too many girls who have no healthy place of amusement to resort to any woman may discover who will take the trouble to spend an afternoon on the street and watch the young girls whirling away the idle hours. Meantime there are idle places in almost every neighborhood that could with the smallest expenditure of money be turned into croquet grounds and tennis courts, where these children might pass the afternoon in happy, purposeful, and healthy play. Is it too much to expect that some of our women's societies will take this matter up? The years between childhood and womanhood are full of danger, but they are full of promise. It is then that girls acquire the habits and form the friendships that so greatly affect their future life. It is easy to censure the busy mother who allows a wayward girl to spend her afternoons on the street. Cannot other mothers with more leisure contrive some way of providing wholesome amusement for all who can be persuaded to engage in it? Something, too, is to be said for the working girls who have a few hours to spare on summer evenings after work is done. Not many of these have means to spare to pay dues. There is at least one tennis court in the city open to some of these. Might there not be many more?

The city all women are interested. In the plan proposed is not practical, who will offer suggestions better worth consideration? In these days when all our boys and girls are busy working for certificates of one kind or other, we are apt to undervalue reading. The lad who spends hours over his Greek and Latin and mathematics gets little encouragement when he is found poring over "Oliver Twist" or "Treasure Island." If the girl hides "The Mill on the Floss" or, perhaps, "Little Women" where she can conveniently find it when she steals an hour from her household tasks or school drudgery, she is apt to receive a sharp rebuke from mother or teacher. As for grown up people, how many, nowadays, spend long hours in reading without a feeling that they are wasting time? We skim our newspapers and hurry through our magazines; we devour the sensational novel of the day, but the number of quiet, thoughtful readers does not, it is feared, increase in proportion to the strides made in education.

Yet it is to be doubted whether in the classes in literature the boys and girls gain as much knowledge as they do from the books they have chosen themselves. It is true, they gain a more minute knowledge of the meanings of the words and of the structure of sentences. This is not by any means to be depreciated. An enthusiastic and really cultured teacher can do wonders in inspiring a love of literature in those who have taste and capacity to receive it. But the proof of the value of their work lies in the habit of reading their students form.

No one who has listened to discussions and conversations that took place at many Canadian firesides among men of a past generation can doubt the real culture to be got from books even aside from what is usually looked upon as education. Men who in their boyhood had received the most meagre education, who knew no language but their mother tongue, and whose written pages betrayed a lack of the rules of grammar, and often a knowledge of spelling, could speak with knowledge and understanding on many subjects which are now seldom discussed among those who have enjoyed the advantages of a college education. They had read a few books and had read them often, taking time to digest what they read. A new book was to them a treasure, to be the companion of many a long hour. Not seldom these old book shelves contained works which in our day few of us possess the ability to understand or the taste to appreciate.

The old days, with their quietness and leisure will not return. But at least, we can allow the children time to read and furnish them with suitable books. The evil days, when business cares or the demands of society will make quiet reading an impossibility, will come soon enough. It is reading that maketh a full man, a very wise man has told us. There is more than enough of shallowness and emptiness among the women, if not the men, of our time. Let the girls and boys associate as long as possible with the best of those who have gone before.

In a very beautiful article on "Sympathy as a Remedy," in the current number of Harper's Bazar, Elizabeth Stuart Phillips says, "After all, very few people in the world are tender. Even among women, the genuine quality is, not common, and among modern women it seems to be cooling all the while." Is this true? If it is it is a sad thing for the children, for the sick and for the aged. It is a sad thing in an age when the world is full of hospitals and orphanages, and benevolent institutions of all kinds such a statement could be made by any thoughtful woman. Never before among people

of the Anglo-Saxon race was there such an aversion to the infliction of pain. The floggings which fathers and teachers, yes and mothers, too, used to think it their duty to inflict upon their rebellious or erring children are now unheard of in most households. The birch and the strap have been banished from the school and the nursery. Corporal punishment, even in the prisons is reserved only for cases of peculiar enormity and almost half the world would do away with the death penalty. It would seem as if pity was the strongest passion of this twentieth century. And yet does not the child whose fevered brow is tended by a trained nurse miss something of tenderness in the touch which the hand of the mothers possessed in the days that are passed? Are we quite sure that the little ones in our own homes receive their full share of those caresses which are as necessary to their lives as light and air?

May it not be that indifference as often as mercy spares the rod? There is a habit of tenderness that we all would do well to cultivate. It is the outward and visible sign of the inward and spiritual grace of love. It means much to the individual and much, too, to the nation. There is a vital charm in gentle words and sweet observances that like most subtle and precious things is easily lost. The loving touch, the tender caress, how the remembrance of them comes back across the gulf of years. Happy the man or woman whose heart is kept warm by the memories of a childhood rich in the tokens and still happier if their tender grace has been passed on to the little ones of this generation.

Does any one remember what sort of weather we had here on the 15th of July? It appears it rained in Toronto and the Mail and Empire have been busy looking up the story of the saint who is reputed to have such marvelous influence over the elements. Here it is:

Somewhat dramatic are the circumstances under which St. Swithin received the episcopate. Swithin, who was a famous ecclesiastic in his lifetime, and a warm friend of King Alfred, became Bishop of Winchester and exercised a powerful influence for good throughout the Kingdom. He built many churches and taught the people to pay tithes. He is also said to have been the discoverer of the tribute known as Peter's pence. As is too often the case, his virtues were not recognized while he lived, and a century elapsed before the worth of the man was fully appreciated. Honors fell upon his remains. He was canonized, and it was determined that he should be promoted from his resting place in the churchyard to a more distinguished position in the chancel. When the monks came to transfer the body the operation was delayed by a rain which commenced on the day set apart for the contemplation of St. Swithin, and continued without intermission for nearly six weeks. It was decided that St. Swithin had sent the downpour, a suggestion that he be allowed to remain undisturbed. It was also clear, from the fact that St. Swithin was in a position to send the rain, that he had command of the rain supply. What could have been more reasonable than that Swithin should at once be chosen as the director of the weather for the nation to which he had belonged?

The legend says that if it rains on St. Swithin's day the rain will continue for 40 days.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Reginald Hayward, of Oak Bay avenue will not receive today.

Mrs. R. Hughes, of Cranbrook, is visiting friends at the coast.

Mr. J. McPhee, from Cumberland, is spending a short time in town.

Miss Hilda Petherick, of Goldstream, is spending a few days in Victoria.

The Misses Ada and Maud Hickenbotham, of Cranbrook, are holidaying on the coast.

Mr. W. S. Simons is touring East Kootenay, on a combined business and pleasure jaunt.

Miss Rankin has returned from a visit to her friend Miss McPherson, of New Westminster.

Mr. and Mrs. Attwood are here for a few days and are guests at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bell of Winnipeg are visiting in Victoria. They are staying at the Driad.

Mrs. J. B. McKilligan returned from a very pleasant visit to Seattle yesterday.

Mr. William Dempster left yesterday for Prince Rupert and other northern ports.

Miss Jennie Robinson of Vancouver is visiting Mrs. Henry Lawson and daughters, Fernwood road.

Mrs. L. H. Hardie, Oak Bay, has returned from an enjoyable visit to Vancouver.

Mr. William Holmes, of Comox, who spent the week-end in Victoria, was the guest of Mr. A. Beska.

Mrs. George A. Fraser, Miss Fraser and Mrs. E. A. McQuide have returned from a week's visit to Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Bishop of Union Bay are spending a few days in town prior to a trip to the East where they will spend a few weeks.

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Miss McDonald and Miss Tait of Vancouver, are visiting in Victoria and are the guests of Mrs. W. Ross, Johnson street.

Colonel and Mrs. Landers, from Seattle, are visiting in Victoria and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Roberts, Burdette avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester V. Dolph, who have been spending the past week as guests at the Empress, left yesterday on their return to their home at Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Anderson-Burns arrived in town yesterday from Winnipeg. After spending the week-end here they will go up to Duncan for the summer months.

Mr. L. W. Shafford, M. P. P., for the Smilkameen, is reported to be making fair progress toward recovery, at Rochester, N. Y., where he went to consult specialists for his health.

Among the passengers on the Princess Beatrice last night for Vancouver were Mrs. J. Kay, Miss Thompson, W. G. Sanders, Hills Houston, G. T. Grant, E. R. Weatherbell, W. K. Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pitts from Chicago are spending a few days in town. They are leaving during next week for Vancouver en route for a three months' visit to the Old Country.

Messrs. E. E. Footton, G. F. Fox, A. E. Haynes and Thomas Watson have returned from Nanaimo, where they represented Victoria Post No. 1, at the annual foregathering of the Native Sons.

Hon. Edgar Dewdney has gone to England where he will spend several months. Before leaving the province Mr. Dewdney will spend a short time in the Smilkameen and the Kootenays.

The marriage of Stanley Boyd Russell, formerly of Victoria but now of Seattle and Miss Birdie Donovan of Seattle was celebrated yesterday at St. Andrew's manse by the Rev. W. Leslie Clay. The groom is a son of James Russell of Cedar Hill.

Mr. W. E. Knowles, M. P., of Moose Jaw, and Mr. Charles E. Berg of Vancouver, arrived on the Charlotte yesterday. They left in the evening on a three-days' auto trip over the island.

His cork leg saved William Daves, cripple, of Galveston, Texas, from being drowned in the ocean.

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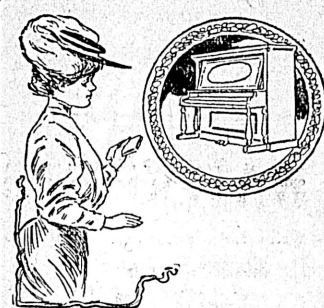
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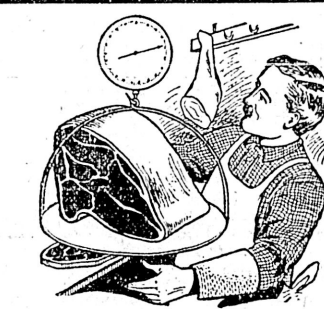
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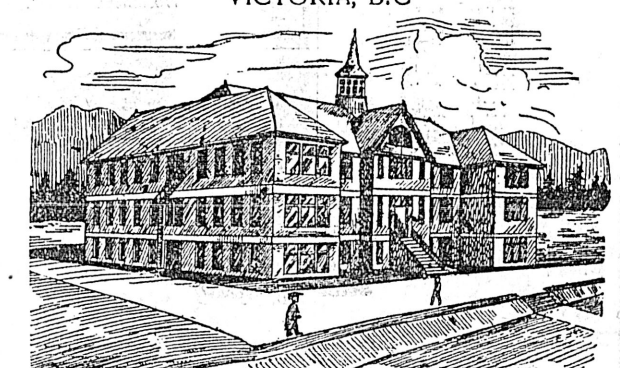
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New York, July 29.—Harry C. Pulliam, president of the National League of professional baseball clubs, died at 11 a.m. today after shooting himself through the head, in his room in the New York Athletic Club last night. Although a bullet from his revolver passed entirely through his head, severing both optic nerves and causing instant blindness, Mr. Pulliam lived from 9.30 last night until this morning. He became unconscious soon after the shooting was discovered and was unable to make any statement as to his reasons for committing suicide, but it is generally attributed to ill-health.

Mr. Pulliam was in his office yesterday, attending to the business of the league, and went to his room at the athletic club last evening. The first indication that anything was wrong with him came when at 9.30 o'clock a signal from the telephone

in his room was thrown upon the switchboard in the club rooms. The operator responded, but receiving no call, sent a messenger to Mr. Pulliam's room to ascertain the trouble. Mr. Pulliam was found lying on the floor dressed only in his underclothing, and with a bullet wound through his head. The telephone receiver apparently had been knocked off its hook when he fell after firing the fatal shot. A revolver lay on the floor near his hand. The club's physician was summoned, but there was little he could do to relieve his patient, and it was evident that death would ensue within a short time. A coroner was summoned and he attempted to obtain a statement from the dying man, but without avail. To all questions as to how he was shot Mr. Pulliam who was then in a semi-conscious condition replied that he did not understand and asked "What shot?" He soon became unconscious but later revived a little and complained that his head ached and asked the attendant to rub it. No note or other explanation of the suicide was found in the room.

A nurse was summoned and the wound was bandaged. As usual in cases of attempted suicide the police stationed a man at the rooms, and technically, the wounded man was under arrest. Throughout the night Mr. Pulliam lingered in a semi-conscious condition. His mother in Louisville, Ky., was notified of the affair last night.

Mr. Pulliam sacrificed his health and life in the interests of the national sport. Made president of the National

league in 1902, he at once took effective measures to do away with rowdy baseball and place the sport on a high plane. He gave instructions to his umpires to be fearless in their decisions, and told them that he would stand by them regardless of the pressure that might be brought to bear upon him. Pulliam's stand brought about friction with some of the club heads, who while declaring for clean baseball insisted that Pulliam was arbitrary in his methods. He was sometimes antagonized and often opposed at the annual meeting of the National league.

The strain of the leadership told on the young president, who, slight of frame and high strung in temperament, was hardly physically equipped for the battles that he had on hand. At the last league meeting in Chicago, he showed signs of a nervous breakdown. Pulliam wanted to make public the names of the men who he said tried to bribe the umpires in the last Chicago-New York game last year. After much squabbling Pulliam became imbued with the idea that the league magnates were persecuting him, and that unless the names of the alleged bribers were made public the sport of baseball was doomed. During the league banquet in Chicago last February, Pulliam suddenly rose in his chair and began a bitter tirade against the league officials. His condition was critical, and his friends, among them Barney Dreyfus, who had kept him in the presidency, obtained for him a leave of absence. Pulliam left Chi-

cago without hat or coat, and suddenly appeared in St. Louis, where he announced his engagement to a young lady of the city. Garrey Hermann found him in St. Louis, and took him south, where he made what was believed to be a full recovery of his health. Pulliam resumed his active duties as head of the league about a month ago. He showed no signs of his long illness, and friends congratulated him upon his recovery.

His health soon began to give way again, and it is reported that he recently spent a week in a sanitarium. A report was current today that Mr. Pulliam wrote his resignation as president of the league before shooting himself, but this could not be confirmed, as Secretary Heydler was absent from the city on his vacation, and many of the baseball leaders also were away.

Mr. Pulliam was born in Scottsville, Ky., 39 years ago, and was successively reporter and city editor of the Louisville Commercial, president of the Louisville baseball club, secretary and treasurer of the Pittsburg club, and president of the National League, to which office he was elected in 1902. It is expected that John C. Heydler, now secretary of the league, will succeed Mr. Pulliam as president.

RULE FOR RIFLEMEN

British Army Weapon Must Be Used
at Bisley Unless Others Are
Certified

London, July 28.—The National Rifle association council has decided that no service rifle of any pattern other than the official pattern in use by the British army will be admitted in service rifle competitions at Bisley, unless an officially certified specimen of such rifle be deposited with the association three months before the commencement of matches, and is approved for use in the events.

Today in the "doubles," an unsquad competition open to pairs of all-comers, Sergeant Kelly, Toronto, and Sergeant Freeborn of Hamilton won two first prizes, £4 10s. Sergeant McVittie, Toronto, and Lieutenant Smith, Chatham, Ont., each won £2.

In the Wantage competition Sergeant Blackburn, Winnipeg, Lieutenant Mortimer, Ottawa, and Sergeant Stack, Truro, in 13th, 21st and 55th places respectively, each won £1.

In the Pilsley competition Sergeant Blackburn, Sergeant Stack, Sergeant Mitchell and Lieutenant Mortimer in 7th, 15th, 24th and 55th places respectively each won £1.

MACAO PIRATES CAPTURED

Fifty Cut-Throats Captured Without
Even a Show of Resist-

ence.

Hongkong, July 29.—Fifty pirates, including five women who had the charge of three kidnapped children, have been captured by the Portuguese police at Macao, according to advices from the Jesuit mission. The pirates are believed to be the same who recently held a New Zealand business man eleven months for a ransom of \$300, which was eventually paid, but not until the poor prisoner had been so misused that his death occurred within three weeks after his restora-

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tion to freedom. In respect to the capture just reported, the Macao police obtained information that a gang of pirates had taken a house in the city from which headquarters they intended working a systematic scheme of evil-doing. So complete was the police information that the authorities decided to raid the house. Fearing that the robbers might set fire to the building the fire brigade took part in the raid. The house was surrounded by the military, and those within were called on to surrender. The police knew the men had arms, and it was apparently thought they would resist arrest. One man put his head out of the window, and a policeman, fearing he was about to shoot, shot him. The inmates offered no resistance, and were all arrested. The men had no offensive weapons, and none were discovered in the house. Suspects pointed to a well connected with the house. This well was pumped out by the fire brigade, and in it were found some fire arms, swords and other weapons. The persons arrested are not Chinese from the vicinity of Macao, but are supposed to come from elsewhere.

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Petawawa Military Camp, July 29.—

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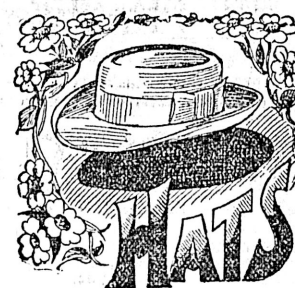
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"I cannot say when the official test will be. It will be a week or ten days before we have things in shape for flights," said Acronaut Baldwin last night. "We are getting new engines for the 'Silver Dart.' Apart from that there is nothing really new. There will be no official tests for several days yet."

Baldwin and McCurdy think that the coming flights will be successful and hope to get a speed of forty miles an

hour out of the new engines they are installing and which will later be used in the official tests. The efforts of Bleriot and Latham during the past week have been discussed by the officers and men in camp and naturally have added much interest and speculation as to the coming Petawawa experiments.

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MARSH ACCEPTS ROWAN'S DEFI

Final Arrangements for Big Professional Race Here Next Month

BOTH RUNNERS WILL ARRIVE NEXT WEEK

Wattellet Will Stage Event at Royal Park on Evening of August 10

The big fifteen-mile race is on as the match was clinched yesterday by the acceptance of the percentage offered by Manager Wattellet of the Royal Athletic Park to John D. Marsh, one of the world's best professional runners.

The great Winnipeg runner will meet Alex. Rowan, of Nanaimo at the Royal Athletic Park on the evening of Tuesday, August 10th and the race will be called at 6:30 o'clock; this will give the runners ample time to complete their journey.

Marsh is a wonderful runner and the way he reads the miles is nothing short of marvellous; he will furnish a 25 mile race as strong and fresh as a five mile run and never does he show any signs of distress while competing in a race of long duration.

Rowan's performance in the Tacoma event was good considering that it was his debut in professional circles. In this race he held out to Marsh for the 19th of June when he ran the entire distance from Cumberland to Nanaimo over rough roads, a distance of seventy-five miles.

Rowan is already training in the Coal City and last night was out for a distance of eleven miles at Nanaimo; the British Columbia runner will be in Victoria in a few days, however, to complete his training, as we wish to be in the pink of condition for this race, as it will mean a whole lot to his career if he can take the measure of the Easterner. Judging from the time made by him in recent workouts, he will make Marsh hurry all the way and when the starter's gun is fired there is bound to be seen one of the greatest foot races ever witnessed in Victoria.

SHORT, SNAPPY SPORTS

The Victoria Lacrosse Club will leave here this evening for the mainland. The locals will line up against the Westminster second twelve at Queen's park Saturday afternoon. A strong team will represent Victoria on the field, and they should spring a surprise on the Fraser river folks.

It looks like as if Jim Jeffries really means business now that he has posted his forfeit for a go with Jack Johnson. But there is many a slip twixt the purse and the kick, and the fight is not yet on. We will wait until the big fella's really do climb through the ropes before we express any opinions.

So far this season the holders of the Minto Cup have scored but thirty-eight goals, while Con Jones' twelve have managed to slip forty-three behind Sandy Gray.

The regatta at Shawnigan lake will be held on August 21. The final arrangements for the water carnival will be made at a meeting to be held at the lake Sunday morning.

John D. Marsh and Alex Rowan

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The cohoes are running in the straits now. In order to catch them, be sure to have the correct tackle. We have a large variety of spoons that will attract the big ones.
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FANTASTIC BEATS ROALTA DECISIVELY

Rivals Who Were in Duel Give Excellent Exhibition

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At Spokane	R. H. E.
Aberdeen	9 9 2
Spokane	6 11 6
At Vancouver	R. H. E.
Portland	7 6 3
Vancouver	2 2 3

Pacific Coast League.

At Los Angeles	R. H. E.
At Los Angeles—Vernon—Los Angeles	R. H. E.
At San Francisco	R. H. E.
Sacramento	8 1
San Francisco	3 7 1
At Portland	R. H. E.
Oakland	3 6 1
Portland	11 2 2

National League.

At Pittsburgh	R. H. E.
Pittsburgh	4 9 2
Philadelphia	3 7 0
At St. Louis	R. H. E.
St. Louis	3 10 2
Chicago	6 8 1

American League.

At Philadelphia—(first game)	R. H. E.
Philadelphia	2 8 0
Cleveland	1 7 0
At Boston	R. H. E.
Cleveland	9 14 2
Boston	4 6 2
At Washington—(first game)	R. H. E.
Washington	3 10 2
Chicago	2 4 6

Eastern League.

At Montreal	R. H. E.
Providence	8 9 2
Montreal	4 9 7
At Toronto	R. H. E.
Baltimore	0 5 1
Toronto	6 8 1
At Buffalo	R. H. E.
Buffalo	2 8 3
At Rochester	R. H. E.
Newark	0 4 1
Rochester	3 9 2

J.B.A.A. REGATTA WILL BE FOR JUNIOR OARSMEN

The J. B. A. A. regatta that is to take place on the harbor on August 14 will not be for senior members as was planned at first but will be confined to junior members in order to develop new material around the local clubhouse. The boating committee of the Bays realizes that the only way to bring out new talent in the rowing line is to develop the less experienced oarsmen and this is what the committee will be endeavoring to do. However, the seniors are not being neglected as there is to be a big regatta at Shawnigan lake in August at which the senior oarsmen of the J. B. A. A. will compete. Mr. W. N. Kennedy, secretary of the organizing committee expects to go to the meeting which takes place at the Lake on Sunday morning when final arrangements will be made for the big regatta.

VANCOUVER Y.M.C.A. HEADS WITHDRAW FROM DUTIES

Vancouver, July 29.—It will come as something of a shock to admirers of the Vancouver Y. M. C. A. especially from the athletic standpoint, to know that the institution is about to lose the services of its chief physical director, Mr. George A. Smith, the assistant instructor, Mr. Arthur S. Lamb and the secretary of the boys' work department, Mr. T. H. Hutchinson. The three have handed in their resignations for the purpose of entering upon studies which will equip them for their work.

The securing of three such important new officials as physical director, assistant instructor and boys' work secretary is a formidable task for the Y. M. C. A. and will have to be considered shortly. Some hopes are entertained that Assistant Instructor Arthur Lamb may be induced to postpone his eastern trip until next spring and remain with the local association to help out the new men. But Mr. Lamb has already fixed his determination to go along with Mr. Hutchinson.

OBLIGED TO EAT GRAIN FROM CARGO

Hardships of Crew of Bark Inverness-shire on Way From Tacoma to England.

How the British bark Inverness-shire battled with constant ill-luck, ranging from death aboard ship to fire which destroyed the stores and to heavy gales threatening to send her to an unknown grave, is told in a letter from Capt. T. Lindall. The master, in writing to the marine editor of the Seattle Post-Intelligencer, from Valparaiso, June 28, relates thrillingly his hardrowing experiences during the three months he had been at sea from Puget Sound.

After the crew had extinguished a fire that almost drove them to the open seas, in which they would have had to make 3,000 miles, subsisting only on wheat, they faced the worst weather Capt. Tindall ever saw. Until they reached Valparaiso, June 28, master and crew had to exist on wheat which was taken from the cargo, as all other provisions were destroyed. The Inverness-shire was bound for the United Kingdom, having been the last ship of the winter's grain fleet from here. Capt. Tindall has a wide acquaintance on Puget Sound.

On the day he wrote, Capt. Tindall arrived at the Chilean port ninety-five days from Tacoma. He states that after his experiences, facing death many times during the previous three months, he will be glad to give up the sea and turn to Puget Sound to settle down on a ranch. Previous brief dispatches have been received regarding the ship's troubles, but this is the first story in detail of the passage. Capt. Tindall writes:

"The ship took fire in latitude 35.50 south, longitude 133 west, at 2:30 a. m. May 14th. I was awakened by a choking sensation and found my room full of smoke. On getting up to my house, I found all the cabin full of the smoke and not a sign could be seen on deck, as we were just getting into the sea and weather, and everything was battered down. After End Was Afire "I immediately brought the ship to the wind. The flames were reduced, the time. Sail was reduced. The after end

GOOD TENNIS GAMES PLAYED

Tyler Wins From Goward Handily—Misses Ryan and Hotchkiss to Fore

FINE PROGRAMME FOR TODAY'S TENNIS CARD

Exciting Matches Will Result This Afternoon—Finals Are Tomorrow

Urged on by the rounds of applause from the large number of tennis admirers that attended the tennis tournament yesterday, the players put up some of the prettiest tennis that has ever been exhibited on local courts. Old Sol shone in all his splendor and it was easily the finest and best attended day of the present series so far this week; all attending were well satisfied with the day's results as many of the games played were hotly contested all the way.

In the ladies' singles Miss Hobson won from Miss Gillespie and Miss Ryan beat Miss Hobson. The next important match in this series will be between Miss Ryan and Miss M. Pitts, the local star. The best tennis of the day was seen when A. T. Goward beat Goward in the men's singles; in the opening set Goward won out from Goward by 6-2, but the local premier tennis player showed great skill in the final two sets and won both by 6-4.

Miss Hotchkiss and Miss Ryan, the two first winning players had a rather easy time, winning from Miss Hobson and Miss Gillespie. The scores were 6-3, 6-0. The balance of the day's play resulted as follows:

Semi Final.

Miss Hotchkiss and Miss Ryan beat Miss Gillespie and Miss Hobson, 6-3, 6-0; second round, Cardinal beat Jukes, 6-4, 6-2; second round, Goward beat Hopper, 2-6, 6-4, 6-4; second round, Tyler beat Andrew, 6-4, 6-2; second round, Jukes and Miss Bell beat Kirkbride and Miss Gillespie, 7-5, 6-4. Third round, Goward beat Bird, 7-5, 6-2; Miss Ryan beat Miss Hobson, 6-0, 6-2; Camble beat Rhodes, 6-0, 6-2; Tyler and Macrae beat Kirkbride and Kiefer, 6-4, 6-4; next M. Pitts beat Miss Bell, 6-0, 6-1; Camble beat Thwaites, 6-1, 6-1; Miss Ryan and Tyler beat Miss Bell and Jukes, 6-4, 11-9; Tyler beat Gower, 6-2, 6-4; Lowry and Miss Pitts beat Fletcher and Miss Macrae, 6-2, 6-2; Camble and Lowry beat Nelson and Talbot, 8-6, 6-4.

Finals Today.

As the finals will be played tomorrow there will be something doing in today's matches and the card as announced by Secretary Talbot of the Victoria Lawn Tennis club is as follows:

Court No. 2, 10 a. m.—Mrs. Crow Baker and Miss V. Pooley, vs. Mrs. Talbot and Miss M. Pitts; 12 noon, winner of above vs. Miss Bell and Miss Jukes; 2 p. m., Camble vs. Cardinal; 3 p. m., Miss Jukes and Mr. Gillespie vs. Miss Hotchkiss and Macrae; 4 p. m., Mrs. Talbot and Macrae vs. Miss Pitts and Lowry; 5 p. m., winners of Miss Jukes and Gilliat and Miss Hotchkiss and Hopper vs. Miss Ryan and Tyler.

Court No. 1, 11 a. m., Rhodes and Cardinal vs. Gilliat and Jukes; 12 noon, winners of above vs. Tyler and Macrae; 2 p. m., Miss Ryan vs. Miss M. Pitts; 3:30 p. m., winner of Camble and Cardinal vs. Tyler; 5 p. m., Camble and Lowry vs. Goward and Schwengers.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

Four and a half; selling 3-year-olds and up.

4573—Ten Row	124
4597—Mi Derecho	110
4707—Water Thrush	117
4719—Malar	117
4824—Blanchard	116
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4826—Maxtress	122

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The Kingston Street Tennis Club will hold a tennis tournament on their courts some time next month. Bobby Dunn and Will Sweeney are arranging the details of the tourney.

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At Tacoma	R. H. E.
Seattle	4 3 3
Tacoma	3 0 4
At Spokane	R. H. E.
Aberdeen	9 9 2
Spokane	6 11 6
At Vancouver	R. H. E.
Portland	7 6 3
Vancouver	2 2 3

Pacific Coast League.

At Los Angeles	R. H. E.
At Los Angeles—Vernon—Los Angeles	R. H. E.
At San Francisco	R. H. E.
Sacramento	8 1
San Francisco	3 7 1
At Portland	R. H. E.
Oakland	3 6 1
Portland	11 2 2

National League.

At Pittsburgh	R. H. E.
Pittsburgh	4 9 2
Philadelphia	3 7 0
At St. Louis	R. H. E.
St. Louis	3 10 2
Chicago	6 8 1

American League.

At Philadelphia—(first game)	R. H. E.
Philadelphia	2 8 0
Cleveland	1 7 0
At Boston	R. H. E.
Cleveland	9 14 2
Boston	4 6 2
At Washington—(first game)	R. H. E.
Washington	3 10 2
Chicago	2 4 6

Eastern League.

At Montreal	R. H. E.
Providence	8 9 2
Montreal	4 9 7
At Toronto	R. H. E.
Baltimore	0 5 1
Toronto	6 8 1
At Buffalo	R. H. E.
Buffalo	2 8 3
At Rochester	R. H. E.
Newark	0 4 1
Rochester	3 9 2

J.B.A.A. REGATTA WILL BE FOR JUNIOR OARSMEN

The J. B. A. A. regatta that is to take place on the harbor on August 14 will not be for senior members as was planned at first but will be confined to junior members in order to develop new material around the local clubhouse. The boating committee of the Bays realizes that the only way to bring out new talent in the rowing line is to develop the less experienced oarsmen and this is what the committee will be endeavoring to do. However, the seniors are not being neglected as there is to be a big regatta at Shawnigan lake in August at which the senior oarsmen of the J. B. A. A. will compete. Mr. W. N. Kennedy, secretary of the organizing committee expects to go to the meeting which takes place at the Lake on Sunday morning when final arrangements will be made for the big regatta.

VANCOUVER Y.M.C.A. HEADS WITHDRAW FROM DUTIES

Vancouver, July 29.—It will come as something of a shock to admirers of the Vancouver Y. M. C. A. especially from the athletic standpoint, to know that the institution is about to lose the services of its chief physical director, Mr. George A. Smith, the assistant instructor, Mr. Arthur S. Lamb and the secretary of the boys' work department, Mr. T. H. Hutchinson. The three have handed in their resignations for the purpose of entering upon studies which will equip them for their work.

The securing of three such important new officials as physical director, assistant instructor and boys' work secretary is a formidable task for the Y. M. C. A. and will have to be considered shortly. Some hopes are entertained that Assistant Instructor Arthur Lamb may be induced to postpone his eastern trip until next spring and remain with the local association to help out the new men. But Mr. Lamb has already fixed his determination to go along with Mr. Hutchinson.

OBLIGED TO EAT GRAIN FROM CARGO

Hardships of Crew of Bark Inverness-shire on Way From Tacoma to England.

How the British bark Inverness-shire battled with constant ill-luck, ranging from death aboard ship to fire which destroyed the stores and to heavy gales threatening to send her to an unknown grave, is told in a letter from Capt. T. Lindall. The master, in writing to the marine editor of the Seattle Post-Intelligencer, from Valparaiso, June 28, relates thrillingly his hardrowing experiences during the three months he had been at sea from Puget Sound.

After the crew had extinguished a fire that almost drove them to the open seas, in which they would have had to make 3,000 miles, subsisting only on wheat, they faced the worst weather Capt. Tindall ever saw. Until they reached Valparaiso, June 28, master and crew had to exist on wheat which was taken from the cargo, as all other provisions were destroyed. The Inverness-shire was bound for the United Kingdom, having been the last ship of the winter's grain fleet from here. Capt. Tindall has a wide acquaintance on Puget Sound.

On the day he wrote, Capt. Tindall arrived at the Chilean port ninety-five days from Tacoma. He states that after his experiences, facing death many times during the previous three months, he will be glad to give up the sea and turn to Puget Sound to settle down on a ranch. Previous brief dispatches have been received regarding the ship's troubles, but this is the first story in detail of the passage. Capt. Tindall writes:

"The ship took fire in latitude 35.50 south, longitude 133 west, at 2:30 a. m. May 14th. I was awakened by a choking sensation and found my room full of smoke. On getting up to my house, I found all the cabin full of the smoke and not a sign could be seen on deck, as we were just getting into the sea and weather, and everything was battered down. After End Was Afire "I immediately brought the ship to the wind. The flames were reduced, the time. Sail was reduced. The after end

GOOD TENNIS GAMES PLAYED

Tyler Wins From Goward Handily—Misses Ryan and Hotchkiss to Fore

FINE PROGRAMME FOR TODAY'S TENNIS CARD

Exciting Matches Will Result This Afternoon—Finals Are Tomorrow

Urged on by the rounds of applause from the large number of tennis admirers that attended the tennis tournament yesterday, the players put up some of the prettiest tennis that has ever been exhibited on local courts. Old Sol shone in all his splendor and it was easily the finest and best attended day of the present series so far this week; all attending were well satisfied with the day's results as many of the games played were hotly contested all the way.

In the ladies' singles Miss Hobson won from Miss Gillespie and Miss Ryan beat Miss Hobson. The next important match in this series will be between Miss Ryan and Miss M. Pitts, the local star. The best tennis of the day was seen when A. T. Goward beat Goward in the men's singles; in the opening set Goward won out from Goward by 6-2, but the local premier tennis player showed great skill in the final two sets and won both by 6-4.

Miss Hotchkiss and Miss Ryan, the two first winning players had a rather easy time, winning from Miss Hobson and Miss Gillespie. The scores were 6-3, 6-0. The balance of the day's play resulted as follows:

Semi Final.

Miss Hotchkiss and Miss Ryan beat Miss Gillespie and Miss Hobson, 6-3, 6-0; second round, Cardinal beat Jukes, 6-4, 6-2; second round, Goward beat Hopper, 2-6, 6-4, 6-4; second round, Tyler beat Andrew, 6-4, 6-2; second round, Jukes and Miss Bell beat Kirkbride and Miss Gillespie, 7-5, 6-4. Third round, Goward beat Bird, 7-5, 6-2; Miss Ryan beat Miss Hobson, 6-0, 6-2; Camble beat Rhodes, 6-0, 6-2; Tyler and Macrae beat Kirkbride and Kiefer, 6-4, 6-4; next M. Pitts beat Miss Bell, 6-0, 6-1; Camble beat Thwaites, 6-1, 6-1; Miss Ryan and Tyler beat Miss Bell and Jukes, 6-4, 11-9; Tyler beat

KINGSWAY ARRIVES FROM OLD COUNTRY

Pacific Coast Fisheries Company Gets Vessel From England

Looking spick and span after her long trip of 15,000 miles, the trawler Kingsway arrived in Vancouver from England with Captain Wilbur Johnson in command. The vessel is in splendid condition, despite her long voyage, and is ready to go into commission right away. Not an accident or breakdown occurred, although bad weather was met, and the little steamer made only four calls for the purpose of coaling. So fine was her coal consumption figured that she had only 300 pounds of coal left when she dropped anchor in the stream last night at 7:30 o'clock.

The Kingsway is the property of the Pacific Coast Fisheries company, which purchased her at Fleetwood, and the steamer will be used for trawling. The headquarters of the company at Pacific, on Selwyn Inlet, and as soon as the Kingsway has come off the ways, where her hull will be painted, she will leave for the fishing station, and the success of the trawling methods will be watched with interest.

She is a steel built craft of 98 tons, with a length of 126 feet, and beam of 22 feet. She was built as recently as 1906 at Lytham, Lancashire, and is a splendid specimen of Old Country ship-building. She is a very fully constructed vessel, and her engines are of more than ordinary power for a craft of this size, having originally been in a Chilean gunboat which was wrecked a month after launching. She cost the fishing company \$33,000, and the expenses of bringing her out were \$7,000.

The little steamer received a splendid sendoff when she left Fleetwood on April 22, and she immediately received her baptism of deep-sea voyaging, for she ran into regular Bay of Biscay

weather, and was pounded and battered on the run down to St. Vincent, her first coaling stop. She reached there on May 3, coaled, and left next day, and her next call was Montevideo, which was reached on May 24. Three days were spent there, and then the Kingsway was headed for the Horn. The inside passage through the Straits of Magellan was taken, and here blinding snowstorms and terrific winds made navigation far from pleasant.

"The strait is simply lined with wrecks," commented Captain Johnson. "I would have brought her in at 90 days, as I said I would, if the weather had been decent coming up the Pacific coast," said Captain Johnson, "but the worst weather we got was from San Diego to Cape Flattery."

The only accident happened to Second Mate Gilmour, who was ruptured, but he is rapidly improving.

The Kingsway was visited by numbers of seafaring men this morning as she lay in the Johnson dock, and her skipper was heartily congratulated on the excellent shape his vessel arrived in. She looks as smart as if she had just crossed from Victoria, and what pleases Skipper Johnson and Chief Engineer Honeyman more than anything else is the engines are sound after their long run, and that the little craft is ready to go to work immediately.

PASSED THROUGH FISH FOR TEN MILES

Tug Bute Reports That Comparatively Few Sockeyes are Entering Traps.

The tug Bute, which brought seven tons of spring salmon to the San Juan Fishing Company yesterday afternoon from the traps of J. H. Todd & Sons, reported that although plenty of salmon were passing into the Straits, few were being taken in the traps in comparison with the size of the run. The tug passed through fish for ten miles, the school being very thick in some places, and the majority of the salmon were keeping well out from the traps. The lack of wind was probably responsible for the salmon being far out in the Strait.

The sockeye run is constantly improving according to the reports made by the trap tenders. The tug Parqua-

har, of the B. C. Packers, brought 20,000 sockeyes to the cannery, at the outer wharf and about ten tons of spring salmon to the curing plant of the San Juan Fishing Company.

Must Shift Cargo
San Francisco, July 29.—A cable message received today by the Merchants' Exchange from Punta Arenas, on the Straits of Magellan, says the steamship Arzonian, of the American-Hawaiian Company's fleet, bound from Norfolk, Va., to San Francisco, with coal for the United States Government; arrived here with the coal in compartment No. 2 of her hold so badly heated that the entire cargo will be shifted before the vessel proceeds on her voyage.

Capt. Patterson Resigns
The resignation of Captain J. B. Patterson, assistant port superintendent of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company in Seattle, to take effect Monday, August 1, is announced. Captain Patterson is one of the most experienced shipping men on this coast and is known from Nome to San Diego, having been in charge of steam and sailing ships in all Pacific waters. He has been connected with the Pacific Coast Steamship Company for many years in the capacity of master of their largest vessels and also in charge in Seattle as port captain. It was impossible to get hold of Captain Patterson this afternoon to learn his plans, but it is understood the resignation came as a surprise to the company and that no successor has yet been chosen. It is probable that Capt. C. H. White, of the company, will fulfill the duties of assistant superintendent, but this is said to be only a temporary appointment.

PROSPECTS OF ATLANTIC TRADE

German Steamship Man Talks of the Future of Trans Atlantic Service.

Herr Von Helmholtz, who is in charge of the passenger traffic of the Norddeutscher Lloyd Steamship company, in an interview regarding trade and traffic prospects on the Atlantic, given at Bremen, said: "The future of transatlantic shipping, and more especially the passenger traffic depends to a large

extent upon developments which take place in the United States. No one who knows the energy and enterprise of the American people can imagine that this development has yet reached its highest point. It may be delayed by financial crises, by strikes, or other causes, but it can never be arrested altogether. To this development, the tide of emigration to America is an important contributor, and any difficulties thrown in the way of immigrants would be a retarding factor; and it is difficult to conceive of the practical and clear-headed Americans lending themselves to such a policy. It would be just as easy to conceive them raising barriers against the manufacture and importation of labor-saving machines. The growth of the population postulates an increased demand for all commodities, and a consequent increase in capital wealth. Thence it follows that the number of Americans making trips to Europe will be augmented, for it is safe to prophesy that the Old World can never lose its attraction for the dwellers in the New.

Transatlantic Outlook.
"With regard to the outlook for transatlantic shipping, it may generally be described as favorable, and those who take a pessimistic view of the situation have no real foundation for their fears. Financial crises such as occurred last year would, of course, have an unfavorable effect, but these are contingencies which every shipping undertaking has to reckon. It is not to be denied that the keen competition of shipping companies has created a situation which in critical times bears heavily on all firms. This competition displays itself in the increased luxury and comfort accorded passengers, added to which are the increases in wages and the cost of equipment etc., and unfortunately the cabin and steerage fares do not keep pace with this expenditure. The increase in tonnage, also, of both passenger and cargo boats, adds to the difficulties which have to be faced by steamship companies, and there is reason to expect that all undertakings will show a tendency to restrict expenditure in the direction of new ships of huge tonnage. It would be well if some common agreement could be reached on this head, but that is a very difficult matter to arrange.

"There is every indication that this year the American season for traveling will be a prolonged one, and that the total returns will equal those of earlier and more prosperous years, even if they do not surpass them. So far the returns of emigration from America are comparatively low; a good sign, as showing that the period of stagnation in industry and consequent unemployment is drawing to a close. With regard to cabin passenger traffic, the outlook is favorable. A great number of Americans have foregone their customary voyage to Europe partly on account of the financial crisis and partly owing to the question of tariff revision; but next year these may be expected in greater force than ever, with the result that the year 1910 may prove a record for all shipping companies.

"At the present moment, owing to the American exodus having commenced earlier this year, the passenger lists of steamers sailing to the United States are well filled, and from the middle of August to the end of October the 'high season,' as it is termed, very few cabins have been left unbooked. The steerage passenger department also gives promise of activity, and given an absence of strikes and other labor troubles in the United States, the emigration figures for next spring should be such as substantially to increase steamship dividends."

GIRL TEACHERS IN CHINATOWN

Woman's Council Will Hold Special Session to Consider Matters of Menace to Morality.

The unpalatable and hitherto little known fact that here in Victoria a considerable number of young white girls, several of them high school students themselves, whose ages range from sixteen to twenty-one, make it a business to visit Chinese men in their business establishments and their living rooms, to teach English and allied subjects, is to be given immediate attention by the ladies' societies interested in progressive work for the protection of the sex and its moral, as well as material interests. The majority of the officers of the local Woman's Council had no intimation of this dangerous element of Chinatown's educational methods until the disclosure of the system appeared in the Evening Post a week or so ago, and the statements were promptly confirmed by the city detective department. It is now contemplated that the entire matter shall be presented for consideration at a special meeting of the Local Council of Women, to be convened for the purpose, there being no regular meeting until mid-September, when it is expected that the city authorities will be petitioned to adopt similar protective measures to those approved by the Vancouver authorities.

The startling statement that upwards of twenty white women were held in slavery to Chinese of the quarter, and sunk in the very dregs of infamy and opium debauchery, will also be given attention, and action taken if such be necessary, it being announced that a general crusade against these women and their masters has been ordered by Acting Chief Palmer.

CASH COMES TO CANADA

Winings of Dominion's Representatives at Bisley Meeting—Richardson's Share Eight Pounds

London, July 29.—The individual winings of Canadians at the Bisley meet which closed last Saturday, as announced today, were: Corp. Coppington, £1318; Capt. W. Forrest, Vancouver, £15; Capt. McPherson, Hamilton, £17; Pte. Gougeon, Winnipeg, £3; Sergt. Major Huggins, Hamilton, £7; Major Jones, £46; Sergt. Kelly, Toronto, £55; Sergt. Kerr, Toronto, £5; Corp. McInnes, Edmonton, £8; Capt. McVittie, Toronto, £6; Sergt. Marsden, Winnipeg, £3; Sergt. Mitchell, Hamilton, £167; Lt. Morris, Bowmanville, £410; Sergt. Richardson, Victoria, £86; Sergt. Russell, Ottawa, £616; Lt. Neil Smith, Chatham, £102; Sergt. Smith, Ottawa, £8; Staff Sergt. Stack, Truro, £1215; Lt. Mortimer, Ottawa, £4714; Sergt. Blackburn, Winnipeg, £130; Corp. J. Sprink, Toronto, £10; Sergt. Bailey, Toronto, £20. The amount won by each member of the team: Corp. Coppington, £2; Sergt. Major Coppington, Toronto, £1; Capt. Forrest, £12; Sergt. Freeborn, £10; Pte. Gougeon, £8; Sergt. Major Huggins, £27; Sergt. Major Huggins, £27; Major Jones, £19; Sergt. Kelly, £19; Sergt. Kerr, £5; Corp. McInnes, £7; Capt. McVittie, £6; Sergt. Marsden, £6; Sergt. Mitchell, £46; Lt. Morris, £66; Sergt. Richardson, £3710; Sergt. Russell, £20; Lt. Smith, £395; Sergt. Smith, £38; Lt. Smith, £38; Sergt. Y. Y. Sprink, Toronto, £2; Staff Sergt. Stack, £18.

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Kiel, July 29.—The Russian Imperial yacht Standard with Emperor Nicholas, Empress Alexandra, and one of their children on board, started through the Kiel Canal today with both banks of the canal picketed with marines and a squadron of cavalry patrolling the countryside.

AT MERCY OF FLAMES

Illinois Town is Burning and Fire Protection is Utterly Inadequate to Control Blaze.

Danville, Ill., July 29.—The village of Philo, Ill., twenty-five miles from here on the Wabash, is burning. The

fire started in a building on the main street at 3 o'clock this morning and rapidly spread to the adjoining buildings. It is feared the entire town will be destroyed, as it is without adequate fire protection.

FARM LABOR IN DEMAND

The Call of the Prairie for Harvesters Leave Ontario Farmers Short-Handed.

Toronto, July 29.—With Western Canada clamoring loudly for farm hands and the railways planning to carry about 25,000 in response to the call, the farmers of Ontario have good prospects of experiencing a serious dearth of labor before the summer is over. Just at present the shortage is not general as the first busy season is practically over, and the second has not yet arrived in the different sections of Ontario. However, a lack of sufficient help is already marked and it was

gathered yesterday from remarks of several farmers who were interviewed that farm helpers would have no trouble in getting a job anywhere.

Japan at Tercentenary

Tokio, July 29.—Japan will be represented by royalty at the tri-centennial of the discovery of the Hudson river. The Japanese court will probably be represented by Prince and Princess Kuni, who are now touring Europe. The couple will leave London for New York on August 25.

Collision to Be Investigated.

United States Inspectors Whitney and Turner, of Seattle, will begin an investigation next Monday into the recent collision between the steamer Troquels and schooner Endeavor. The vessels crashed during a dense fog off Marrowstone Point on the early morning of July 21. The Endeavor was considerably damaged about the bow and is now at Port Winslow making repairs.

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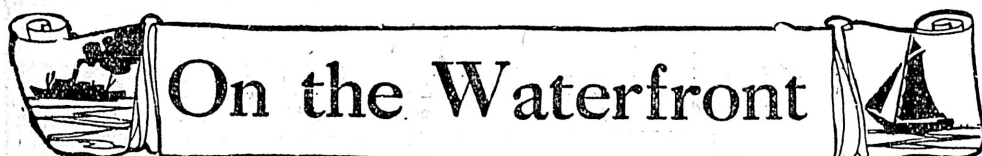
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CREW SUFFERED TERRIBLE PRIVATIONS

Buffon Reaches Puget Sound and Reports Sailer in Dangerous Place

Further advices received regarding the wreck of the Norwegian bark *Erroll* at Middleton Island in the South Pacific on June 18, and the rescue of survivors by the Sydney steamer *Tofua* state that the captain's wife shouting that she believed that death was better than falling into the hands of cannibals, hurled her children overboard from the wreck. Seventeen were drowned or died of starvation, including the captain, his wife and four children, and first and second officers. The surviving crew suffered terrible privations, the only food obtainable being shellfish, and all they had to drink was rain water. Reinforcements have been placed on several sailing vessels believed to be in the neighborhood of Cape Horn owing to bad weather reported from that vicinity of late. The Greenock barque *Auldgrith*, which left Sydney on March 18 for Queenstown, has arrived and reported having encountered a hurricane on the voyage. On April 13 she narrowly escaped foundering, having been struck by a succession of heavy seas, which swept everything movable from the deck. The helmsman was swept overboard, and drowned.

One of the overdue, whose protracted voyage has been causing anxiety at Lloyd's, much so that she was reinsured at ten per cent. The French barque *Buffon*, has reached Seattle. The *Buffon* brought news that a four-masted barque was in danger on Monday off the Umatilla reef lightship. The *Buffon* was 108 days from Newcastle, N. S. W., and reports an unusually hard passage, owing to contrary winds, short provisions,

Shipping Intelligence

By Government Wireless.

Cape Lazo, 8 a.m.—Clear, a southeast wind. Bar. 29.88, temp. 56. Sea smooth. No shipping.
Point Grey, 8 a.m.—Clear and calm, thick in inlet. Bar. 29.97, temp. 56. Sea smooth. No shipping.
Tatoosh, 8 a.m.—Cloudy, a northwest wind. Bar. 29.98, temp. 56. Sea smooth. No shipping.

Estevan, 8 a.m.—Cloudy and stormy-looking, southeast wind. Bar. 30.06, temp. 78. Sea smooth. No shipping.
Pachena, 8 a.m.—Overcast, a westerly breeze. Bar. 30.05, temp. 56. Light swell. No shipping.

Cape Lazo, noon—Clear, a southeast wind. Bar. 30.01, temp. 56. Sea smooth. Steamer *Dolphin*, southbound, at 11.15 a.m.
Point Grey, noon—Clear, a southeast wind. Bar. 29.97, temp. 67. Sea smooth. No shipping.

Pachena, noon—Clear, southeast wind. Bar. 29.98, temp. 67. Sea smooth. No shipping.
Tatoosh, noon—Clear, southeast wind. Bar. 30.08, temp. 67. Sea smooth. No shipping.

Point Grey, 6 p.m.—Cloudy, calm. Bar. 29.97. Temp. 68. In steamer *Princess Ena* at 12.40 p.m.
Cape Lazo, 6 p.m.—Raining, southeast wind. Bar. 30.01, temp. 65. High swell. No shipping.

Tatoosh, 6 p.m.—Light rain, south wind, 15 miles. Bar. 30.10. Temp. 56. Sea moderate. Passed in U. S. army transport *Buford*.

Estevan, 6 p.m.—Drizzling, misty, southeast wind. Bar. 30.07. Temp. 56. Sea rough. No shipping.

Pachena, 6 p.m.—Overcast, east wind. Bar. 30.04. Temp. 57. Light swell. Steamer *William Jolliffe* east bound at 1.25 p.m. Steamer *Chippewa* west bound, north of Eysht river at 4.40 p.m.

Steamer *Umatilla* north bound above Columbia river at 5 p.m.

a crew on the verge of mutiny and a very foul bottom. The vessel carries a cargo of 2,948 tons of Australian coal, consigned to the Pacific Coast Company, which secured the contract for supplying the forts of the Puget Sound artillery district with this coal. After having the cargo discharged into Seattle bunkers, the contractors will re-ship it to the different forts on scows.

On July 26, when about three miles off land near Umatilla lightship, Capt. Ameline reports a large four-masted vessel in ballast inshore of the *Buffon* and apparently drifting ashore in the dead calm which prevailed. On arrival the master made very careful inquiry as to whether any vessel of this description had been reported in trouble. The casualty return for the month of June, prepared by the Liverpool Underwriters' Association, shows that during the month losses amounted to \$502,500, an unusually heavy figure for the time of year. The casualties for the same month of 1908 involved a loss of \$279,000, and in June, 1907, the value of vessels lost was \$239,000. The most expensive losses of the month were the stranding of the Cunard liner *Slavonia*, off Flores Island, Azores the estimate loss on which is \$140,000, and the loss of the German steamer *Eva*, by explosion, off Pantella, involving underwriters in a loss of \$86,000. The steel barque *Australian*, which was reported "missing" on her voyage between Mazatlan and Sydney (N. S. W.), involved a loss, on hull alone, of \$12,000.

Virginian Reports.

The Allan Line S.S. *Virginian* will arrive in Montreal this evening from Liverpool. On Tuesday night she reported by wireless from east of Belle Isle.

HEAVY TRAVEL ON LOCAL RUNS

Duty Now Being Assessed on Goods Purchased Here

The heavy travel is being continued on the local runs. The three funnel liners have not had their customary lay over this week. The steamer *Princess May* was not considered adequate to handle the travel. During this week the *Princess Victoria* was even found inadequate, more passengers offering after allowance of 1,000 had gone on board. It is expected that the rush will continue for two months, probably longer.

Owing to the increased travel arrangements are being made at Seattle for increased customs inspectors and dutiable articles will hereafter be appraised and duty collected at the pier on arrival of the steamers from Victoria.

Duty is now being assessed at Seattle on curios and other wares bought in Victoria of the value of more than one dollar. The customs authorities have placed an extra staff of inspectors in service at Seattle to examine the baggage of the throngs now travelling. A circular has been issued by Collector of Customs Harper, which has been posted on the three-funnel liners, in this regard. He says: "This office is in receipt of advices from the secretary of the treasury that it is the opinion of the department that excursionists or persons who visit Canada and remain but a short time and bring back with them dutiable articles are not entitled to the privileges extended by paragraph 697 of the tariff act of July 24, 1897, allowing free entry in certain cases of goods of not more than \$100 in value obtained abroad by returning residents of the United States."

In accordance with the department's instructions, you will direct your officers to assess duty in future, except as mentioned below on all dutiable articles brought over from Canada by excursionists, or which they have reason to believe the importer purposely visited Canada to purchase.

"Curios and souvenirs in the possession of the excursionists such as are usually purchased abroad by tourists may be passed by the examining inspector where the duty does not exceed \$1 in any case; all other dutiable articles in the possession of persons arriving from Canada should be held for entry and collections of duty, when the importer, if dissatisfied, may appeal in the usual manner."

WILL COMPETE WITH CANADIAN LINE

New Orient Liners Between London and Sydney Will Lower Time.

The new Australian mail steamship company which has just been established by the Orient Company between London and Australia, the first vessel of which, the *Orsova*, has just reached Sydney, will be an effective competitor with the Canadian-Australian line, and will attract a large amount of travel from the route via Suez. The *Orsova* is a fine, modern passenger steamer. The second vessel, the *Otway*, already has been delivered by the builders, and will shortly follow, while the others will take their place in time to make up the full complement, which, under the contract, must be in the running by February next. These new vessels are evidently triumphs of modern shipbuilding. In May last the *Orsova* was tested over the measured mile, and her maximum speed was shown to be 18.1 knots, which compares with 17.5 knots, the average requirement of the contract. It is needless at this stage to recall the undignified hag-

gling which took place prior to the arrangement being finally assented to by the Federal authorities, though we may be forgiven for wondering whether the Treasurer was ever reimbursed under the terms of Messrs. Laid and Sons' guarantee. Perhaps that is a phase of the matter which may be allowed to rest, and the people of Australia be invited to congratulate themselves upon the fact that although they were compelled to increase the subsidy of \$85,000 to \$120,000, and then to \$170,000 per annum, there is such excellent prospect of full value being given for the money. Not only will the maximum time for the delivery of the mails be cut down from 696 to 650 hours (which is several days quicker than the service via Canada) but there are other advantages in the way of more complete refrigerating space and more modern passenger accommodation, especially for third-class passengers, thus benefiting Australian producers on the one hand and offering additional inducements to travel on the other. These new vessels can carry upwards of 770 passengers, and also have room for 5,000 tons of deadweight cargo, inclusive of 2500 tons of refrigerated produce. When these figures are compared with those that applied to even the finest vessels in the Australian trade of a few years back, the advance disclosed is truly amazing.

VADSO BACK FROM THE NAAS

Medium Run of Fish on Northern Rivers—Steamer Sailed North Last Night.

The steamer *Vadso*, of the Boscowitz Steamship company from Naas and way ports brought news that a medium run of sockeyes is taking place in the North. On the Skeena and Naas the fishermen are taking an average of one hundred to the boat, and seventy to the boat on Rivers Inlet. On the Skeena last Saturday when the close season started, a large run of fish went up. The *Vadso* brought twelve passengers, including several commercial travellers, among them being Messrs. Doran, of Wilson Bros., and Dunn, representing a liquor house. W. Doble made a round trip.

THAMES STEAMERS WERE SOLD CHEAP

Five Steamers Sold Under Hammer For Less Than Half Cost of One.

Twenty-one steamboats discarded by the London county council were put up for auction at the Baltic exchange salerooms some days ago. Each was originally built at a cost of \$6,500. The whole fleet cost \$136,500. At the last sale three of the vessels were sold for \$2,775. The auctioneer offered the 21 steamers in bloc. The first bid was \$7,000 cash and \$3,000 within three months. The auctioneer accepted the \$7,000 bid, and eventually the steamers were withdrawn at \$7,250. Next the fleet was offered in sections, but failed to draw satisfactory responses. Finally, the steamers were offered separately, with the following results: *Allyn* sold for \$705; *Brunel* sold for

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£500; Maurice withdrawn at £460; Sloane withdrawn at £430; Ben Jonson sold at £500; Gresham and Raleigh withdrawn at £400; Colechurch sold at £500; Whittington sold for £500. The total result was that five boats sold for £2,770, and the remainder were withdrawn.

CANADA AND NAVAL DEFENSE

Minister of Marine and Admiral Kingsmill in London—Australia Favors Docking Facilities.

Mr. Louis P. Brodeur, Dominion minister of marine and fisheries, who accompanied by Admiral Kingsmill, chief of the Canadian marine, has arrived in London for the forthcoming conference on Imperial defence, has given expression to a Reuter's representative of the following views: "Certain statements have been published as to Canada's naval programme, statements which we have had to deny. Our object is to discuss with the Imperial authorities and those of the Oversea dominions this question of vital importance. We all expect good results from these discussions, and that as an outcome, some well-defined and carefully-considered plan will be devised, whereby the many parts of the empire shall each do its own share in assuring the security of the empire. Canada will not be behind in doing her share of the work."

Regarding Australian and New Zealand ideas for the defence conference the Sydney Morning Herald says: "The New Zealand idea is to increase the naval subsidy to an amount far

greater than any that has so far been mentioned; but there is a feeling against this in many federal quarters here. The idea largely entertained among Commonwealth legislators is that however high the subsidy was placed it would be a 'drop in the bucket' in comparison with the old country's heroic expenditure on naval defence. But, further than that, the idea is expressed by a large section of federal legislators that the mere handing over of a cheque annually would not in any way tend to accomplishing one of the two big collateral desiderata the legislators have in view—the fostering of a sentiment that will eventually make young Australians a happy hunting ground in the matter of naval recruits. In other words, it is claimed that the best results will be gained if something immediately material can be shown for the expenditure of Australian money in regard to naval defence.

"Whilst the Dreadnought offer will be discussed by the conference, it has been made in such a way that instead of a single battleship its equivalent in cruisers or anything else can be given, as may be deemed best by the conference. The main question is a permanent and continuous participation in the naval defence of the Empire by the colonies. In these circumstances the question of the larger colonies providing warships at regular intervals for the Imperial navy, and the regular supply of a quota of men, will in all probability be brought forward for discussion.

"But there is another idea which is being given increasing prominence in federal quarters, one which it carried into effect would render even more distinctive the colonial expenditure

and the colonial participation in the empire's defence. It is that the colonies should combine to supply an increasingly powerful cruiser squadron, to which might be handed over the policing of the outposts of the King's dominions. Such a squadron, though contributed to by funds in the four corners of the globe, would be a homogeneous machine, under single direction, and available for duty whenever necessarily demanded. Its existence would mean that the Imperial navy as we now know it need not be disposed so widely, but its strength could be more concentrated, and it could be given over very largely to the purpose of preparing for that vital moment when only the immediate launching of the whole of its force against an enemy will be the thing that will count. This is a proposition that may be laid before the conference.

"Another proposal that has met with acceptance in federal circles, and one which also contemplates an expenditure within sight of Australians themselves is for Canada, South Africa, and Australia each to construct a dry dock capable of accommodating a Dreadnought. Mere bottoms at sea, of course, do not represent the strength of any navy, and in the case of such a wide-flung empire as ours handy docking facilities are especially important. This is a matter that will probably be discussed by the conference, and apart altogether from the wider proposal which contemplates docks in Canada and South Africa, it is probable that improved docking facilities in Australia—docks that will accommodate a Dreadnought—may also receive attention."

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COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

UNUSUAL ACTION IN STOCK MARKET

Stocks Long Dormant Were
Affected by Various
Rumors

New York, July 29.—The usually active speculative stocks fell into neglect today but a diversion of interest to the less prominent quarters of the list rectified the dull appearances of the market and supplied points of strength that gave the tone to the whole.

The news from Washington up to the time the market closed was regarded as offering ominous possibilities of a deadlock in the final stages of the tariff settlement which might negate the results of all the labor of recent months and leave the business of the country in a state of renewed uncertainty over the future. This fear, however, was proved to be unwarranted by later events. The efforts of such an outcome would be prejudicial to the stock market from a speculative standpoint and the question thus presented made operators disinclined to commit themselves.

The disorders in Spain and the threatened aspect of political affairs there were disturbing influences abroad but had very little influence here. The Spanish news was a factor in weakening Rio Tinto copper mining shares, but Amalgamated Copper did not show the usual sympathy with the movement and made a good show of strength as stocks of railroads in southern territory were amongst the principal features of strength in the market.

These included a particular movement in the Gould group and also in L. & N. Atlantic Coast line and in a less degree Southern railway. The grangers on the other hand, were neglected and this added to the most immovable course of Union Pacific and U. S. Steel compared with their recent aggressive leadership, was largely responsible for the lethargic appearance of the market. The New York

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Central continued to reflect the influence of the supposed growth of the Harriman influence and this with a good advance in Southern Pacific and Reading. A number of the less conspicuous specialties was sufficient to keep up the tone of the whole market. The high prices at the end of the day were made also in the period of the markets' greatest activity a very strong tone to the buying.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, \$4,616,000. U. S. bonds unchanged on call.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.
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	High.	Low.	Close.
Amal. Copper	83 3/4	82 3/4	83 1/4
Am. Can. Pdy.	63 3/4	62 3/4	63 3/4
Amer. Smelt.	95 3/4	94 3/4	95 3/4
do pfd	121 3/4	120 3/4	121 3/4
Amer. Sugar	131	129	130
Amer. Woolen	48 3/4	47 3/4	48 3/4
Anaconda	134 1/4	133 1/4	134 1/4
Atlantic Coast	133 3/4	132 3/4	133 3/4
do pfd	104	103	104
B. and O.	122 3/4	121 3/4	122 3/4
do pfd	90	89	90
B. R.	78 3/4	77 3/4	78 3/4
C. F. R.	186 3/4	185 3/4	186 3/4
C. and O.	79 3/4	78 3/4	79 3/4
C. and A.	68 3/4	67 3/4	68 3/4
C. and G.	25 3/4	24 3/4	25 3/4
do pfd	4 1/4	4	4 1/4
C. and N. W.	186 3/4	185 3/4	186 3/4
C. M. and S. P.	167 3/4	166 3/4	167 3/4
C. P. and I.	45 3/4	44 3/4	45 3/4
Corn. Gas	140 1/4	139 1/4	140 1/4
Corn Products	24 1/4	23 3/4	24 1/4
D. and H.	103 1/4	102 1/4	103 1/4
D. and R. G.	85 3/4	84 3/4	85 3/4
D. and S.	37 3/4	36 3/4	37 3/4
Distillers	37 3/4	36 3/4	37 3/4
Erle	36 3/4	35 3/4	36 3/4
do pfd	54 3/4	53 3/4	54 3/4
do pfd	43 3/4	42 3/4	43 3/4
Gen. Elec.	168 3/4	167 3/4	168 3/4
Gt. Nor. Offs.	75 3/4	74 3/4	75 3/4
Gt. Nor. pfd	151 3/4	150 3/4	151 3/4
Illinois Cent.	57 3/4	56 3/4	57 3/4
L. & N.	145 3/4	144 3/4	145 3/4
Mackay	82 3/4	81 3/4	82 3/4
do pfd	73 3/4	72 3/4	73 3/4
Mexican Cent.	143 3/4	142 3/4	143 3/4
M. K. and T.	43 3/4	42 3/4	43 3/4
do pfd	71 3/4	70 3/4	71 3/4
Missouri Pac.	140 3/4	139 3/4	140 3/4
N. Y. C. and W.	54 3/4	53 3/4	54 3/4
N. and W.	94 3/4	93 3/4	94 3/4
Northern Pac.	153 3/4	152 3/4	153 3/4
Pacific Mail	138 3/4	137 3/4	138 3/4
Penn. Ry.	116 3/4	115 3/4	116 3/4
Peoples Gas	116 3/4	115 3/4	116 3/4
Pressed Steel	46 3/4	45 3/4	46 3/4
do pfd	151 3/4	150 3/4	151 3/4
Reading	117 3/4	116 3/4	117 3/4
Rep. Steel	37 3/4	36 3/4	37 3/4
do pfd	110	109	110
Rock Island	39 3/4	38 3/4	39 3/4
St. Paul	84 3/4	83 3/4	84 3/4
do pfd	116	115	116
Southern Pac.	124 3/4	123 3/4	124 3/4
Texas Pac.	35 3/4	34 3/4	35 3/4
Third Ave.	20 3/4	19 3/4	20 3/4
Union Pac.	200	199	200
U. S. Steel	72 3/4	71 3/4	72 3/4
do pfd	127 3/4	126 3/4	127 3/4
Virginia Chem.	53 3/4	52 3/4	53 3/4
Wash.	21 3/4	20 3/4	21 3/4
do pfd	57 3/4	56 3/4	57 3/4
West. Union	74 3/4	73 3/4	74 3/4
Westinghouse	84 3/4	83 3/4	84 3/4
Wisconsin Cent.	87 3/4	86 3/4	87 3/4
K. C. Southern	48 3/4	47 3/4	48 3/4
Money on call, 1 1/2 per cent.			
Total sales, 637,200 shares.			

Sept. pfd	110	109 1/4	109 1/4
Rock Island	39 1/4	38 3/4	39 1/4
do pfd	76 5/8	76	76 1/2
Sloss Steel	84 1/4	84	84
do pfd	116
Southern Pac.	124 1/2	123 1/2	124 1/2
Texas Pac.	35 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Third Ave.	200 1/2	199 1/2	200 1/2
Union Pac.	200	198	200
U. S. Steel	72	70 1/2	71 1/2
do pfd	127 1/2	127	127 1/2
Virginia Chem.	53	52 1/4	52 1/2
Wabash	21 1/2	21 1/4	21 1/2
do pfd	57 1/4	56 1/2	56 1/2
West. Union	73 1/2	73 1/4	74 1/2
Westchester	84 1/4	84 1/2	84 1/2
Wisconsin Cent.	56 1/2
do pfd	87
K. C. Southern	48
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	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Jan.	12 3/4	12 3/4	12 3/4	12 3/4
March	12 3/4	12 3/4	12 3/4	12 3/4
May	12 3/4	12 3/4	12 3/4	12 3/4
July	12 3/4	12 3/4	12 3/4	12 3/4
Sept.	12 3/4	12 3/4	12 3/4	12 3/4
Oct.	12 3/4	12 3/4	12 3/4	12 3/4
Nov.	12 3/4	12 3/4	12 3/4	12 3/4
Dec.	12 3/4	12 3/4	12 3/4	12 3/4

VANCOUVER STOCK EXCHANGE.
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	High.	Low.	Close.
Amal. Can. Oil	13 1/4	13 1/4	13 1/4
B. C. Packers pfd.	101	101	101
do com.	38	38	38
B. C. Permanent	125	125	125
B. C. Trust Corp.	87	87	87
Can. Con. S. and R.	87	87	87
Can. Northwest Oil	13	13	13
Cariboo Camp McKinney	01	02	02
Diamond Vale C. and I.	09	10	10
Dom. Iron and Steel	99	100	100
Gruby	02	02	02
Nicola Valley C. and C.	55	55	55
Northern Crown Bank	01	01	01
Rambler Cariboo	25 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
Royal Collieries	500	520	520
Serp	160	160	160
Stewart M. Co.	160	160	160

Bank of England Statement.
London, July 29.—The statement of the Bank of England re-

	July 29.	July 30.
Gold	14,000,000	14,000,000
Silver	1,000,000	1,000,000
Copper	1,000,000	1,000,000
Reserve	1,000,000	1,000,000
Assets	1,000,000	1,000,000
Liabilities	1,000,000	1,000,000

maintained unchanged today at 2 1/2 per cent.

The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes: Total reserve decreased £1,400,000; circulation decreased £28,000; bullion decreased £1,490,709; other securities decreased £556,000; other deposits decreased £2,208,000; public deposits increased £192,000; funds reserve decreased £1,504,000. Government securities unchanged. The proportion of the bank's reserve to liability this week is 51.31 per cent. Last week it was 52.06 per cent.

Winnipeg Wheat Market.
Winnipeg, July 29.—Cables opened 1/2 higher and closed 1/2 lower. All wheat markets opened about a half lower than yesterday's close, then declined 1/2 more, but on reports of black rust in the Dakotas advanced 1 1/2 cents from the low point. The market closed round the opening. Advices from our own northwest were very optimistic. The rain fall has been plentiful and the farmers of Southern Manitoba will commence cutting wheat in ten days. The heads are out rapidly and the crop promises to be heavy. The weather forecast says clear and warm today and tomorrow and it looks as if the weather had settled. The best authorities say there is no damage whatever from rust in the Dakotas.

MONTREAL STOCKS.

(Furnished by F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Stock	Bid.	Asked.
Bell Telephone	116	117 1/2
Detroit United Ry.	67	68 1/2
Dominion Coal.com.	77 1/2	78 1/4
do pfd	166	167 1/2
Domin. Iron and S.m.com.	114	115 1/2
do pfd	128 1/2	129 1/2
Lake of the Woods, com.	125 1/2	128
do pfd	128	130
Mackay, com.	82 1/2	82 3/4
do pfd	73 1/2	74 1/2
Montreal Lt. and Power.	127 1/2	128
Montreal Telegraph	164	160
Nova Scotia Steel, com.	67 1/2	67 3/4
do pfd	116	120
Ogilvie Mfg. Co. com.	125 1/2	128 1/2
do pfd	125	126
P. and O. Navigation Co.	143	144 1/4
St. Paulo Tram	126	126 1/4
St. Paulo Ry. Co.	103	104 1/2
Twin C. Rap. Trans.	151	158
B. & C. Packers	100	102
Banks—		
Bank of B. N. A.	181	
Molson's	200 1/2	201
Nova Scotia	277	282
Ottawa	210	
Quebec	123 1/2	124
Royal		229 1/2
Toronto	219 1/2	
Union	83	84
Montreal	253	251

Final Clear Out Prices From Men's Furnishing Dept

Values That Will Reach Your Highest Expectations



Men's Golf Hose, 25c

Regular 75c. Friday
MEN'S COLORED GOLF STOCKINGS, pretty shades of heather brown, green and blue, with fancy turnover tops. Value 75c per pair.

Friday Special, 25c

Boys' White Duck Shirts, 35c

Regular value 65c, for
BOYS' PURE WHITE DUCK TENNIS SHIRTS with soft turn-down collar. All sizes. Value 65c—
Friday Special35c

Men's and Boys' Ties, 5c

Regular value 12½c. Friday
MEN'S AND BOYS' WHITE WASHING TIES, linen and fancy cotton, four-in-hand style. Value 12½c.
Friday Special5c

Men's and Ladies' Collars, 1c

Friday Special
MEN'S BOYS AND LADIES' ODD SIZES IN WHITE STARCHED COLLARS, various styles—
Friday Special, each1c

Men's Wool Sweaters, \$1.00

Friday Special
MEN'S NAVY AND WHITE PURE WOOL RIBBED SWEATERS, good, serviceable weight, roll collar—
Friday Special\$1.00

Men's Silk Drawers

Reg. value \$3.50, for 50c
MEN'S PURE SILK DRAWERS, a few pairs of delicate pink shade, in sizes 36 and 38. Regular value \$3.50
Friday Special.....50c



Men's Lisle Drawers

Reg. \$1.75. Friday 50c
MEN'S IMPORTED SILK LISLE DRAWERS, in pretty shades of grey and blue, extra fine quality, a few sizes 32, 34, 36. Reg. value \$1.75 per pair.
Special50c

Men's Wool Shirts, 50c

Regular \$1.25. Friday
MEN'S NATURAL LIGHT WEIGHT WOOL. Just a few shirts and drawers. Regular value \$1.25 per garment.
Friday Special50c

Men's Undershirts, 25c

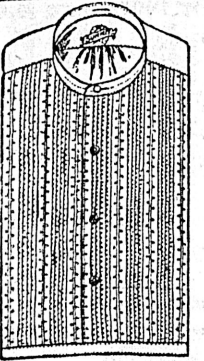
Regular 50c. Friday
MEN'S NATURAL SHADE BALBRIGGAN UNDERSHIRTS. Sizes 40, 42 and 44, a few for clear out. Value 50c—
Friday Special25c

Men's Pure White Dimity Shirts and Drawers, 25c

Reg. value \$1.25. Friday
MEN'S PURE WHITE DIMITY SHIRTS AND DRAWERS. Shirts cut coat style with short sleeves, and drawers cut knee length. Values 75c per garment—
Friday Special25c

Men's Print Shirts, 35c

Regular 75c. Friday
MEN'S PRINT SHIRTS, clean looking prints, mostly black and blue stripes. Sizes 15½, 16 and 16½. Regular values 50c and 75c—
Friday Special35c



Men's Tennis Shirts, 50c

Regular value 75c, for
IMPORTED WHITE HUCKABACK TENNIS SHIRTS, made with soft collar, buttoned down at points and back, full size bodies and strongly stitched. Value 75c—
Friday Special50c

Men's Tennis Shirts, 50c

Regular 75c. Friday
MEN'S STRIPED TENNIS SHIRTS, cream ground with black, blue and green patterns, soft turn-down collars attached. Sizes 15½, 16 and 16½. Value 75c—
Friday Special50c

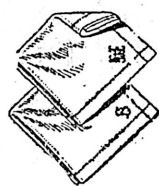
Boys' Shirt Waists, 35c

Regular 75c. Friday for
BOYS' COLORED SHIRT WAISTS, with starched stand-up, turn-down collar, made in pretty woven checks and stripes. Sizes 10, 11, 12 and 13. Regular values 65c and 75c—
Friday Special35c

Boys' Tennis Shirts, 35c

Regular value 65c, for
BOYS' WHITE MESH TENNIS SHIRTS, with a fine brown stripe, soft collar attached. Sizes 12, 12½, 13 and 13½. Value 65c—
Friday Special35c

Bargains in Ladies' and Children's Handkerchiefs, Friday



CHILDREN'S COLORED BORDERED HANDKERCHIEFS — Special Friday, per dozen.....25c

LADIES' COLORED BORDERED HANDKERCHIEFS, different designs, each10c

LADIES' WHITE LAWN HANDKERCHIEFS, per dozen50c

LADIES' SILK FINISHED HANDKERCHIEFS, per dozen\$1.00

LADIES' FINE LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS, per dozen\$1.50

Our Furniture and House Furnishing Sale Starts Monday, Aug. 2.



Last Call From the Men's Clothing Department

Friday means a thorough clearance of all these bargains, the prices we have marked these goods at is sure to make them move quickly.

Clean-Up Prices on Men's Suits

MEN'S SUITS, made of mixed tweeds, fancy worsteds, flannels and homespun. The season's very latest, up-to-the-minute styles, in two and three-piece effects. Regular \$12.50.
Friday go-quick price\$6.75

MEN'S FLANNEL AND OUTING PANTS, specially well tailored, highest quality material. Regular price \$3.75.
Friday's Clearance\$2.50

MEN'S FANCY VESTS, made of fine quality piques, etc. Regular values \$1.75 to \$2.50. Friday's Clean-up price.....\$1.00

Men's Straw Hats—Every Line Reduced to Half Their Regular Value.



Ladies' Night Gowns, Special, Friday, at \$1.25

LADIES' NIGHTGOWNS of fine quality Cambric, some are made with yoke of all-over embroidery, set with clusters of fine tucks; neck and sleeves finished with frill of hemstitched lawn; another style is made with round yoke of eyelet embroidery, trimmed with insertion and baby ribbon; sleeve finished with wide frill of embroidery—
Friday Special\$1.25

Children's Underwear at Clean-Up Prices for Friday

COTTON VESTS, short and no sleeves5c
COTTON VESTS, long and short sleeves, small sizes. Price10c
CHILD'S LONG SLEEVE VESTS, in sizes from 3 to 9 years15c
FINE GRADE COTTON VESTS in long and short sleeves25c
FINE RIBBED DRAWERS, white, knee-length, finished with woven edge, also tight at the knee, in small sizes15c
CHILDREN'S BLACK DRAWERS, knee length and tight-fitting, small sizes25c
Large sizes35c



Values of Astounding Merit

Women's Linen Coats, \$2.50
Regular value \$10.00. Friday

WOMEN'S WHITE LINEN COATS, ¾ and ¾ length, loose and semi-fitting, smartly finished with stitched straps and buttons. Regular \$10.00. Friday\$2.50

Women's Linen Coats, \$2.50
Regular value \$15.00. Friday

WOMEN'S WHITE LINEN COATS, ¾ length, loose fitting, inlaid collar and cuffs of lace, with insertion trimming over shoulders. Regular \$15.00. Friday\$5.00

Women's White Suits, \$12.50
Regular value \$30.00. Friday

WOMEN'S WHITE SUITS in very fine quality of Irish linen. Coats ¾ length, fitted back, very handsomely trimmed with Irish lace. Skirt circular cut with girde effect, and lace trimmed to match coat. Regular \$30.00. Friday's price\$12.50

Women's Wash Suits, \$6.50
Regular value \$13.50. Friday

ALL THE BALANCE of our Wash Suits, in all styles and colors, on sale Friday. Regular values up to \$13.50. This lot includes the jumper effect, also the plain coat and skirt. Friday\$6.50

Shirt Waist Retainers, 25c

GAIR'S "PERFECTION" Shirtwaist Retainer and Skirt Supporter, simple, indispensable and invisible, adjusted in a second. Price, each25c
For Sale at the Smallware Department

Prices From the Shoe Dept. Which Mean a Final Clean-Up

If you need Footwear for either yourself or family, you will find by coming to this store on Friday that your hopes will be fully realized, not only for quality and style, but the prices are so low as to make your purchasing here imperative.

Men's High Grade Shoes, Regular Values to \$6.00, Friday, \$2.90

THESE CONSIST OF Oxford and Blucher cut boots, in tans, ox-bloods or patent leathers. Are regularly sold at \$6.00, but in our July Sale we reduced them down to \$3.50, and now to make doubly sure that the remainder will move out, we have brought the price down to\$2.90

Women's Oxfords, Friday, for \$1.75

FRIDAY will see the last of these, made of the finest selected leather that is possible to procure, and built along lines that ensures a perfect fit, no matter what kind or shaped foot you may have. Just drop in here Friday and let us fit you at\$1.75

Boys' Boots, Reg. \$2.50, for \$1.75.

Boys' Boots, Reg. \$4.00, for \$2.50

TWO EXTRA SPECIALS IN WOMEN'S FOOTWEAR FOR FRIDAY

Women's Strong Canvas Shoes, Reg. Val. \$1.50, Friday, for 90c

IT IS SURPRISING what 90c will do at this store Friday. In fact, it will have nearly double its purchasing power, as we are placing on sale a specially fine line of Women's Canvas Shoes, in white, brown and black, the regular value being \$1.50. Special Clear-out Price for Friday90c

Women's High Grade Shoes, Regular Values \$4.50 to \$5.50, for \$3.45

THIS LOT consists of the famous Queen Quality Shoe, which is renowned for its long-wearing qualities, style and finish, facts which it is needless to emphasize. They are in Oxfords, Slipper and Blucher cut boots. Regular values were \$4.50, \$5.00 and \$5.50. To clear out Friday at\$3.45

Women's Colored Canvas Shoes, Reg. Val. up to \$2.75, for \$1.50

FRIDAY will see big crowds taking advantage of this offering. These shoes are made of good quality colored canvas, fine turn soles, covered heels: in brown, blue, pink, helio, etc., also white canvas with embroidered vamp. Regular value \$2.75. Special Clear-out Price for Friday\$1.50

Clearance Prices on Silks

Colored Taffeta, 50c
Regular 75c and 90c, for
COLORED TAFFETA SILKS, pink, light blue, navy, brown, gold, grey, nile, cardinal, reseda, old rose, peacock, garnet. Regular 75c and 90c. Friday50c

Fancy Stripe Taffeta, 50c
Regular 75c to \$1.00, for

FANCY STRIPED AND CHECKED TAFFETA SILKS, also Fancy Striped Louisine Silks and Tassau ground with colored spots. Regular 75c to \$1.00. Friday.....50c

FANCY CHECKED LOUISINE SILKS. Regular 75c. Friday25c

FANCY STRIPES AND CHECKS IN JAPANESE WASH SILKS. Regular 50c. Friday25c

PLAIN CHECKS AND STRIPES, TAMALINE SILKS. Regular 50c. Friday25c

PONGEE SILKS, 27 inches wide, light and dark stripes, new goods arrived too late for the season's trade. Regular 75c. Friday50c

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